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## PRINCESS BORN AT GLAMIS.

DUCHESS OF YORK'S SECOND CHILD.

SATISFACTORY PROGRESS BEING MADE.

BULLETIN ISSUED.

London, Aug. 21.  
Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York gave birth to a daughter at Glamis Castle to-night, a bulletin issued from the Castle stating: "The Duchess of York gave birth to a daughter this evening. Both her Royal Highness and the infant Princess are making very satisfactory progress."—*Reuter*.

News Flashed to King.

Later.  
The baby Princess was born at 9.30 to-night, the bulletin issued from the Castle being signed by three doctors, including Dr. Myles, the well-known Forfar



practitioner who has been the family doctor to the Strathmore family for many years and who attended the Duchess of York for childlike ailments when she was a little girl.

Nurse Bedvors, who attended the Duchess when Princess Elizabeth was born four years ago, was also present. The Rt. Hon. Mr. J. R. Clynes, the Home Secretary, was also present at the Castle in accordance with custom.

The news of the birth of the Princess was flashed to their Majesties the King and Queen at Sandringham from where messages of congratulation were immediately sent to the Duke and Duchess.—*Reuter*.

Succession Strengthened.

London, Aug. 22.  
The birth of the Princess strengthens the succession to the Throne in the female line. The baby becomes fourth in order of succession, following the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and Princess Elizabeth, to which the Duke of Gloucester and Prince George have, up to the present, stood next.—*Reuter*.

Succession Question.

National interest was centred in Glamis Castle, the importance of the event lying in the fact that if the baby had been a Prince the child would have stood next in succession after the Prince of Wales and its father, to the Throne. It was for this reason that Mr. Clynes travelled to Scotland a fortnight ago in order to be in close touch with the domestic event.

The fact that the second child of the Duke and Duchess of York is a daughter does not affect the succession. The direct heir to the Throne, of course, is the Prince of Wales, and if he were without issue, succession would fall on the Duke of York. After him the next ruler would be his eldest son, or, failing a male issue, his eldest daughter, the Princess Elizabeth.

The famous obstetricians, Sir Henry Simon and Dr. Frank Reynolds have been staying at (Continued on Page 7.)

## A HAPPY TRIBUTE TO HOBBS.

AUSTRALIAN PLAYERS CHEER THE VETERAN.

LAST TEST MATCH.

London, Aug. 21.  
There has been no play in the final Test Match to-day, owing to rain.

The newspapers to-day express much appreciation of an unexpected little demonstration which the Australians had arranged yesterday evening, when Hobbs went out to play his last innings in Test Match cricket.

As Hobbs came to the wicket, the Australian players gathered in a ring around him at a few paces distant, and, on a signal from their skipper, Woodfull, took off their caps and held them aloft. At Woodfull's lead, they gave him three short-staccato cheers. An observer says it was one of the most moving tributes he had ever seen paid on the cricket field.

Hobbs' record in Test Matches is a wonderful one. He first played in Australia in 1908. He has had 71 innings, four times not out, with his highest score 187. His aggregate number of runs is 3,636 and his average 54.26.—*British Wireless*.

## SHANGHAI SALARY COMMISSION.

PAYMENTS ON A DOLLAR BASIS.

Shanghai, Aug. 22.  
The report of the Municipal Salaries' Commission will appear in to-morrow's issue of the *Municipal Gazette*. The recommendations include the payment of salaries on a dollar basis, no children's bonus and only six months' leave after five years' service instead of the present eight months.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

The Council recently decided that to meet the situation caused by the decline in exchange, one-third of the salaries of the permanent staff having domicile of origin in a gold currency country shall be converted into sterling at the rate of 2s. 6d per tael and reconverted and issued in silver at the rate of exchange prevailing on the 15th of the month.

## STATES' BANKRUPTCY LAWS.

STRONG CRITICISM BY THE SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

Chicago, Aug. 21.  
In an address to the Convention of the American Bar Association, Mr. Thomas D. Thatcher, Solicitor General of the United States, condemned the American bankruptcy laws as "perfectly designed to encourage dishonesty and reckless disregard for business integrity on the part of large numbers of people, owing to the ease with which debtors procured their discharge without an investigation into the causes of failure."—*Reuter's American Service*.

## SINGAPORE BASE STRIKE.

TWO THOUSAND INDIANS RETURN TO WORK.

Singapore, Aug. 21.  
The two thousand Indian labourers employed at the Naval Base here, who struck work earlier this week as a result of an announcement that wages would be reduced by ten per cent, resumed work to-day after a lengthy conference with the agent of the Government of India and other officials. The reduction in wages will not become effective until the end of October.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

## PRIVATE COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

THREE FORGERY CHARGES IN SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, Aug. 22.  
Private Bourne, of the Royal Army Medical Corps, has been committed for trial before the Supreme Court on three charges of forgery.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

## SIR ASTON WEBB DEAD.

DESIGNED HONGKONG LAW COURTS.

A FOREMOST ARCHITECT OF MODERN TIMES.

IMPROVED LONDON.

A Reuter message received this morning reports the death in London of Sir Aston Webb, the famous architect who was responsible for the design of the existing Law Courts of Hongkong. Sir Aston Webb was 81 years of age, having been born in London in May, 1849.

A Committee was appointed in Hongkong in 1894 to consider the question of new Government buildings and Law Courts, and a majority of members voted in favour of inviting competitive designs from architects in the Far East for the various buildings contemplated.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies, however, did not approve of this proposal, adding that it would be desirable to employ the consulting architects to the Crown Agents for the Colonies, Messrs. Aston Webb and Ingress Bell, who possessed considerable experience in designing buildings for the tropics.

Plans Accepted.

The recommendations of Messrs. Aston Webb and Ingress Bell were adopted and the plans for the Law Courts were received in Hongkong towards the end of 1899. The building was opened early in 1912.

Sir Aston Webb, who was a son of Edward Webb, the engraver and watercolour painter, took up architecture as a profession and made rapid headway. He was president of the Architectural Association in 1884 and of the Royal Institute of British Architects in 1902.

The restoration of the beautiful Norman church of St. Bartholomew the Great, London, was carried out by him and he was entrusted with the refronting of Buckingham Palace to replace one of the ugliest facades in existence.

His plan for the surroundings of the Victoria memorial was accepted and he thus revolutionised the appearance of the Mall, designing the Admiralty Arch at one end and the architectural features which adorn the roads that skirt the white marble memorial.

Cambridge Honour.

London and the provinces owe to him many fine buildings. He completed the Victoria and Albert Museum, South Kensington, and designed the Royal College of Science and the Imperial College of Science and Technology there, the offices of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada in Cockspur St. and the French Protestant Church in Soho.

When Christ's Hospital School was transferred to the country, he was responsible for the new building in which the 'insanitary quadrangle system was abandoned. Ingress Bell collaborated with him in this commission and also in the plans for the Birmingham Law Courts, a somewhat florid terra cotta edifice. Sir Aston, who was elected a Royal Academician in 1903, was knighted in 1904, created a K.C.V.O. in 1914 and a G.C.V.O. in 1925. In 1923 Cambridge bestowed on him the honorary degree of LL.D.

Varied Achievements.

In 1919 he was elected President of the Royal Academy, being the second architect to hold that position, which he had to resign owing to ill-health in 1925.

Sir Aston Webb was a man of large views and identified himself with a number of movements which aimed at enlarging the aesthetic understanding of the people. His very varied achievements in his profession leave their mark on the architecture of the period. He was a strenuous advocate of great schemes of town-planning and especially of vast and far-reaching changes in London, which would make that city one of the artistic wonders of the world.

His ideas were not merely those of an impractical dreamer, but offered practical solutions of many problems which arose in connexion with the housing question.

## BEAUTIFUL GIRL COMMUNIST.

USED CHARMS TO OBTAIN NANKING SECRETS.

PLOT FRUSTRATED.

Nanking, Aug. 22.  
A beautiful Chinese girl, dressed in the height of fashion, who used her charms to obtain secrets from officials for Communists was among the people recently arrested here.

On the receipt of information that Communists were plotting to create disturbances throughout Nanking, the police, under the pretext of re-taking the census, conducted a systematic house to house search with the result that more than twenty "Reds," including the girl, were taken into custody.

It was revealed that the Communists planned, among other things, to bomb the Nanking Government Office and the police and garrison headquarters.

Those arrested confessed that the leaders of the movement included students, men in the Army, and employees of the Government telegraph and telephone offices.

Armed with useful clues, the police conducted night-time raids, arresting most of the "Red" leaders. They also discovered the Communists' secret printing plants, munition stores and the so-called "Executive Offices" of the Communist Committee, the chairman of which was amongst those arrested.

The Communist plot appears to have been well laid and there is no doubt that the smart work of the police nipped in the bud what might have been a serious outbreak.—*Reuter*.

## GRACEFUL ACT BY THE PRINCE.

REPLACES BROKEN VASE WITH STATUETTE.

London, Aug. 21.  
A charming little incident arose out of a visit which the Prince of Wales paid the other day to an old lady tenant of the hostel on his estate at Kennington.

The Prince was accompanied by Brigadier-General Trotter and other members of his suite, and while he was chatting to the old lady, a vase fell from a bracket on to the floor and was broken into pieces. The Prince immediately promised that it would be replaced. Yesterday he carried out his promise, and the old lady received a small statuette in colours depicting His Royal Highness in hunting attire.—*British Wireless*.

## MAINTENANCE CASE IN SHANGHAI.

CLAIM AGAINST MR. M. J. DIVECHA.

Shanghai, Aug. 22.  
Maintenance payments ordered on a separation deed formed the subject of a case in the British Court yesterday when Mrs. M. J. Divecha claimed from Mr. M. J. Divecha, the well-known sportsman, a sum of \$960 due under a deed of June 15, and \$150 costs. An adjournment was granted, an agreement being possible.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

## ROUND THE WORLD FLIGHT.

GOVERNMENT ASKED FOR PERMISSION.

Washington, Aug. 21.  
The State Department has asked the permission of the British, Dutch, German and Japanese Governments for Roger Williams and Ted Lundgren to fly over their respective territories on their projected round the world flight.—*Reuter's American Service*.

## LORD BIRKENHEAD.

PNEUMONIA CAUSES HEART WEAKNESS.

London, Aug. 21.  
Although Lord Birkenhead is no longer as critically ill as he has been, a medical bulletin states that the enfeeblement of his heart consequent on pneumonia can only be expected to pass off gradually.—*British Wireless*.

## YACHT SINKS IN A GALE.

LIFEBOAT UNABLE TO APPROACH.

LIFE LINE GIVES WAY IN TERRIFIC SEA.

NOTABLES DROWNED.

London, Aug. 21.  
The Fowey life-boat strove for two hours to-day to reach a yacht which was caught in a violent gale off the coast of Cornwall and which was eventually pounded to destruction on the rocks, all aboard, including Commodore King M.P., being drowned. The storm also affected other coasts, seventeen fishing-boats lying in the bay at Fowey being sunk and others damaged.

The Cornwall disaster concerned a Royal Yacht Squadron craft, the *Islander*, which had been chartered by Commodore King from the owner, Colonel John Diggle, for a cruise in the Channel.

On board with Commodore King at the time of the disaster were one of his daughters, Commander Searle of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Surgeon-Captain Arthur Robertson Brailley of H.M.S. President, Captain Glazebrook of Bishop Stortford, the skipper of the yacht and two deckhands. Surgeon-Captain Brailley was honorary surgeon to His Majesty the King and was consulting ophthalmic surgeon during wartime. Lieut. Commander Searle was a native of Berwick-on-Tweed.

Driven on Rocks.

The yacht was off the Cornish Coast when the gale sprang up. Night was falling and the yacht was driven on to the rocks in Lanivet Bay, near Polperro.

The Fowey lifeboat went out but could not approach the vessel. A life line was fired over the yacht, and two men aboard were seen desperately hanging on to it until it gave way in the terrific seas.

Then a tidal wave caught the vessel and altered its position, flinging it against the rocks. One man was seen to dive from the yacht and begin to swim to shore, but he disappeared under the water.

The Fowey lifeboat strove for two hours to get near the yacht but the heavy seas and dangerous rocks proved too formidable. The yacht pounded to destruction and all aboard were drowned.

Versatile Politician.

Commodore King was one of most versatile men in the Conservative Party and was regarded as destined to hold a high place in some future Conservative Administration. He was 53 and still young as politicians go. He had been Junior Lord of the Treasury, Financial Secretary to the War Office and in the last Conservative Administration was in charge of the Mines Department.

Before he entered upon his Parliamentary career he took part in the defence of Antwerp, served in the Gallipoli campaign and was with the Royal Naval Siege guns in Flanders.—*Reuter and British Wireless*.

Notable Career.

[Commodore the Rt. Hon. H. B. King, C.B., C.E., D.S.O., has been Conservative M.P. for South Paddington since 1922. He was A.D.C. to H.M. the King in 1922-25. Born in 1877, he was trained on the Conway, and later served on sailing ships, joining the P. and O. Company in 1897. Leaving the sea a few years later, he was eventually called to the Bar (1906), and then took-up politics, entering Parliament in 1918. He was many years in the B.N.V.R., being made Commodore in 1927. Joining up in this unit on the outbreak of the War he was in the siege of Antwerp, at the Gallipoli landing, and in other services ashore and afloat. For his distinguished service during which he was wounded, he was mentioned in despatches and given the D.S.O. and Croix de Guerre. One of his important

## FERRY COXSAIN DISCHARGED.

INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE OF COLLISION.

RESCUE COMMENDED.

To So-tai, the coxswain of a Cheung Chau ferry launch who has been appearing at the Marine Court for the last few days on the charge of failing to render assistance to the crew of a junk with which his launch is alleged to have collided, was discharged by Commr. J. B. Newill, D.S.O., R.N., when the case resumed this morning.

It will be recalled that after yesterday's hearing his Worship reserved judgment till this morning.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo was for the defendant and Mr. Somerset Fitzroy was for the Crown.

In discharging defendant, his Worship said, "I find that there is insufficient evidence to show that the steam launch *Sun Tai*, of which the defendant was coxswain, was in collision with the junk No. T5531 on the morning of July 24 last."

"Although I do not consider that an alibi has been established, yet the identification of the launch by only one person who was suddenly awakened and intent on safe-guarding his own vessel is unsatisfactory."

"In view of the fact that nobody witnessed the collision and that there is no evidence of damage to the *Sun Tai*, I feel that it has not been conclusively proved that the *Sun Tai* actually did sink the junk."

"I therefore discharge the defendant."

"The action of Chan Tai in rescuing the survivors is commendable."

## STRIKERS GO BACK ON OLD TERMS.

NO INCREASES FOR LILLE WORKERS.

Lille, Aug. 21.  
Following the arrival of the Minister of Labour the strikes amongst the metal workers and textile workers are now coming to an end. The textile mills and the metal works are resuming.

The Employers' Federation states that there will be no increase in wages and that deductions will be made from salaries on account of social insurance in accordance with the new law. It was the introduction of the latter which caused the strike.—*Reuter*.

## CURRENCY HOARDING PENALTY.

NINE SHOT AFTER TRIAL IN RUSSIA.

Moscow, Aug. 21.  
It is officially stated that nine persons found in possession of large sums in silver have been shot after a trial by the O.G.P.U. on charges of hoarding silver coins foreign currency and gold and of spreading counter-revolutionary rumors.

The action by the O.G.P.U. followed a widespread shortage of silver coins.—*Reuter*.

## AMERICAN INCOME TAX.

REDUCTION MAY NOT BE MAINTAINED.

Washington, Aug. 21.  
The Treasury sees little prospect of maintaining next year the reduction of one per cent. in the Income Tax which it allowed as an emergency measure. Mr. Mellon is of the opinion that the general business conditions of the country are against a continuance of the reduction.—*Reuter's American Service*.

mand. of the Drake Battalion, R.N.D. He was a Conservative Whip in 1921, was a Lord Commissioner of the Treasury 1922-24, Financial Secretary to the War Office 1924-26, and Secretary for Mines 1926-28. He was appointed

## BRITISH HOSPITAL DAMAGED.

SHRAPNEL SHELLS DO MUCH HARM.

RED CROSS & UNION JACK IGNORED.

SIEGE OF NANNING.

We have received from a correspondent at Nanning a detailed account of the recent siege of that city by Yunnanese troops and aerial raids by Cantonese planes. For days, there were almost continuous attacks, and during these, four shells exploded in the British hospital, in spite of the Red Cross and Union Jack being flown. Much damage was done to the building as a consequence. The story as told by our correspondent is as follows:

On the 2nd instant, an American oil boat attempted to go down stream, and was fired upon by the Yunnanese from the village of Ting Taz Hui, about a mile down river, being forced to return to her moorings. The following day was fairly quiet. A number of Kwangsi soldiers came over the east wall by 40-foot ladders and brought up rice, vegetables, etc. The city is reported to be in a bad state as regards sanitation; dead bodies are heaved into No Man's Land over the wall.

Moonlight Attack.

On the 6th and 7th, there was desultory firing on both sides, there being a number of casualties among the market people. At 9.30 p.m. on the latter day, a heavy fusillade commenced towards the river. Six large junks had crept up being opposite the south wall. They were heavily fired at by the defenders with machine-guns and 3-inch field-guns, of which they have five mounted on the wall. The attack failed, but it was believed to have been a "blind" to distract attention from the north and east gates, where the main attack was to be staged.

At 9 a.m., for half an hour, on the 8th instant, the 3-inch guns on the wall shelled the village of Ting Taz Hui and registered most of their targets. The Yunnanese troops could be seen scattering into the fields.

Suburbs Entered.

At 1.30 on the same day, the Yunnanese crossed the river below Ting Taz Hui and, creeping up the Bund, were able to enter the south suburbs of Nanning outside the defences without being seen. They were able to launch an attack on the south gate that night at 10.30, after a brisk fusillade, but they failed to make their objective and retreated, being heavily shelled by the 3-inch guns on the wall.

These shrapnel shells caused a great many casualties, and four exploded in the British hospital, in spite of flying the Red Cross and Union Jack. There was only one serious casualty, but great damage was done to the building, the top storey being riddled and one ward made uninhabitable. Heavy rain did not help matters, as the roof failed to function as such in various places.

The 9th and 10th of August were tolerably quiet, both sides hastily making preparations for offensive and defensive measures. At 10.30 a.m. on the 10th, a Cantonese plane circled over the city and dropped three bombs, all of which apparently found targets. The explosions were particularly loud. On Sunday, there was continuous rifle-firing all night.

Another Attempt.

On the 11th, at 4 a.m., there was a heavy attack by missed Yunnanese troops (Lung's forces) and the south gate was again assailed. The 3-inch guns on the wall again shelled the retreating troops and the Hospital and numbers of private houses were hit with explosive shrapnel.

Forty-nine civilian casualties, all wounded by shrapnel, were treated between 7 a.m. and 9.30 a.m., a number of women and children being included. Two died and a third succumbed later. Casualties continued coming in all day to the Emmanuel Hospital. It was found somewhat difficult to house them all, and dressings were running short. At 4.30 p.m. on the same day the

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**RICE TRADERS AT  
LOGGERHEADS.**  
**A PITCHED BATTLE IN  
SHANGHAI STREET.**  
A fracas which occurred in No.  
62, Shanghai Street, between the  
fokis of two rival rice shops aris-  
ing out of the jealousy existing  
between them, had a court sequel,  
when 13 men were charged, before  
Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon  
Magistracy yesterday afternoon,  
with disorderly conduct. The  
first defendant was also charged  
with having assaulted an Indian  
police sergeant.  
The two shops, in question are  
the Tat Tai Cheung, at 62 Shang-  
hai Street and the Hit Cheung, at  
68, Shanghai Street. There were  
frequent fights between the fokis  
of these two shops. On August  
7th, one fight occurred as a result  
of which three men were charged,  
and on August 10th, the more  
serious fight took place at 62,  
Shanghai Street. As a result of  
this second fight ten men were  
charged, but as the cases were  
closely related to each other the  
Magistrate decided to try them as  
one case.  
Mr. A. Covey appeared for the  
first, second, third, twelfth and  
thirteenth defendants, while Mr.  
M. K. Lo appeared for the others,  
except one man, the ninth defen-  
dant, who was not represented.

**The Fight.**  
Detective Sergeant Fitches, out-  
lining the case, said that on  
August 7th, as a result of a fight,  
three men were arrested. Two  
of them were from No. 68 and the  
third from No. 62. One of the  
former men was injured and ad-  
mitted to the hospital. In-  
quiries were made and the police  
found that the trouble arose out  
of rivalry in the rice trade, and a  
jealousy between the two shops,  
one having more trade than the  
other. The shop masters were  
warned by the police against a  
further recurrence of fighting on  
the part of their fokis.  
On the morning of August 10th,  
the parties engaged in another  
fight, in the doorway of No. 62.  
Bottles and bricks were thrown  
by the fokis of No. 62, who were  
barricaded behind rice bags in  
the shop, and the fokis of No. 68  
used poles. The bottles were  
filled with water. One of the  
joint masters of No. 68 was sup-  
plying his fokis with poles. An  
Indian sergeant attempted to  
arrest the second defendant, who  
was the master of No. 68, but re-  
ceived a blow across his leg with  
a bamboo pole carried by the first  
defendant.  
He (Sergeant Fitches) on in-  
formation received proceeded to  
the spot and saw the Indian  
Sergeant taking the 1st and 2nd  
defendants into custody. The  
fighters scattered on his arrival.  
He entered No. 62 and saw the  
4th defendant bleeding from a  
wound in the head. Nos. 6, 7, and  
8 were sitting on the bags of  
rice, and the last named had  
an iron bar in his hand. The  
10th defendant was in the  
kitchen with a serious wound  
in his head which necessitated  
his removal to hospital. All the  
defendants were placed under  
arrest.

**Constable's Evidence.**  
Tang Yu, a Chinese constable,  
said that he was on duty on  
August 7th with a colleague when  
he saw several people fighting.  
Both of them went up, and he  
arrested the 12th defendant,  
while his colleague arrested the  
11th defendant. The 13th defen-  
dant was lying in the gutter with  
a serious wound and had to be  
sent to the hospital.  
In reply to Mr. Lo, witness said  
that he noticed two rice trucks,  
one outside No. 62 and the other  
outside No. 68.  
Chan Fui, the other constable,  
corroborated the first witness's  
evidence in regard to the fight on  
August 7th. Speaking of the  
fight on August 10th he said that  
in the company of Detective Ser-  
geant Fitches and some con-  
stable he went to the scene of  
the fight. He saw the fourth de-

**Firm Foundations.**  
Every time a child is ill, even  
if afterwards he is apparently as  
well as ever, he has lost some  
portion of his vitality. Vitality  
which ought to have gone to  
building the foundations of  
healthy, vigorous adulthood, has  
been used up in fighting off the  
malady.  
In order that the reserve of vi-  
tality in children should be con-  
served, it is vital that childhood  
ailments be prevented, as far as  
humanly possible. Most parents  
recognise, and always bear in  
mind, the adage "Prevention is  
better than cure" and with  
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in the home they are able to ward  
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**SCAFFOLD STRIKE  
SETTLED.**  
**AN AGREEMENT SIGNED  
YESTERDAY.**

The strike of the scaffolding  
workers which has hindered the  
progress of many of the big  
construction works in the Colony  
has been settled. An agreement  
was signed by the disputing parties  
yesterday afternoon at the Chinese  
General Chamber of Commerce.  
The terms of settlement include  
the compensation of \$100 to rela-  
tives of workers killed while work-  
ing, abolition of the free board and  
lodging system for unemployed  
workers and the retention of the  
sub-contracting and piece-work  
systems.  
A labour demand for an increase  
of 25 per cent in wages for per-  
manent workers and a daily wage  
of 95 cents for daily workers has  
also been complied with.  
The employers further agree to  
provide half wages to injured  
workers who are admitted to hos-  
pital for treatment.  
The arbitrators included Messrs.  
Li Yau-tsun, C.B.E., Li Yick-mui,  
Chan Heung-pak, Chairman and  
Secretary of the Chinese Chamber  
of Commerce respectively, Tsai Fo-  
tin, and Lam Kau-mau, represent-  
ing the Chinese Contractors As-  
sociation. These gentlemen told a  
representative of the Press that  
all the strikers were expected to  
resume work in one or two  
days.

endant sitting behind the coun-  
ter in No. 62; he had a wound in  
his forehead. Defendants 6, 7,  
and 8 were sitting on the bags of  
rice. The last named had an iron  
bar in his hand. The 9th defen-  
dant was in the kitchen, and the  
10th defendant was sitting on a  
bag of rice, bleeding from a wound  
in the head. The fifth defendant  
was found lying wounded in the  
kitchen of a tea shop close by.  
In answer to Mr. Lo, the witness  
stated that there was a door in  
the kitchen of No. 62 leading to  
the back yard and also a door in  
the yard leading to the street at  
the back of the shop. Both doors  
were open, and there was a crowd  
in the street. The floor of the  
shop was littered with broken  
bottles, and on top of a bag of  
rice were two bottles filled with  
water. Witness could not say if  
the bottles were all there in  
preparation for an attack.  
The Magistrate fixed further  
hearing for September 12th and  
16th.

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**SCANDALS TO BE  
PROBED.**  
**GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK'S  
ACTION.**  
New York, Aug. 21.  
It is stated that Mr. Roosevelt,  
the Governor of New York, has  
decided on a thorough investiga-  
tion of the entire minor judiciary  
system in New York City, as a  
result of the recent series of  
scandals, culminating in an allega-  
tion that the former City Magis-  
trate, Mr. George Ewald, gave over  
\$10,000 to Tammany Hall politi-  
cians for his appointment in 1927.  
It is understood that the inves-  
tigation will go into the manner  
of appointment, and conduct upon  
the Bench, of all the City Magis-  
trates.  
The newspaper press, irrespec-  
tive of party, applauds the Gov-  
ernor's action.  
Mr. Roosevelt is summoning an

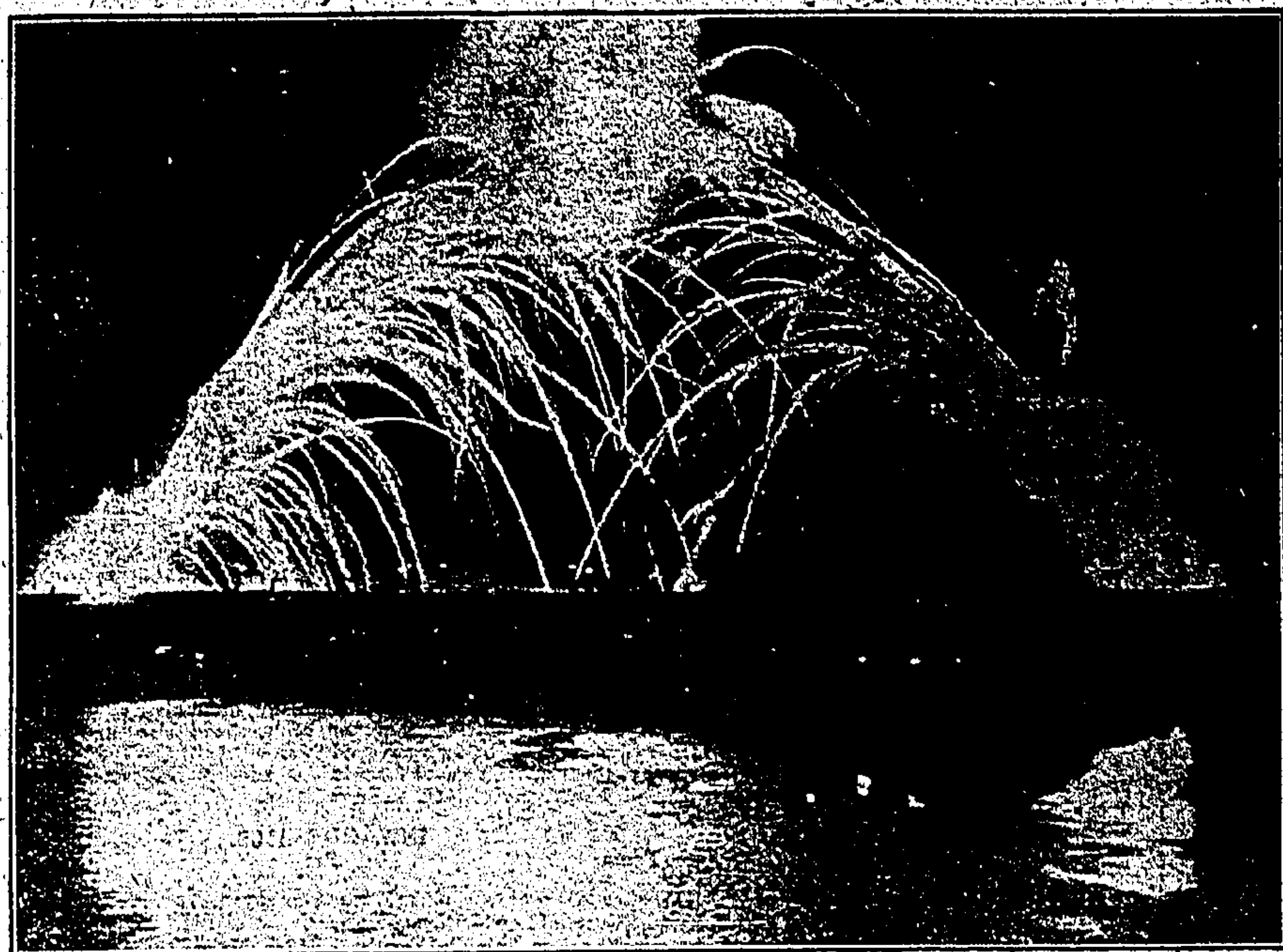
**THE SOVIET'S FORCED  
LABOUR.**  
**CONTINUED AGITATION IN  
AMERICA.**  
Washington, Aug. 21.  
Mr. Albert Johnson, who is  
head of the Immigration Com-  
mittee in the House of Representa-  
tives, has collected a number of af-  
fidavits claiming that lumber,  
wheat and other Soviet imports  
are produced by forced labour.  
Mr. Johnson is agitating for the  
Treasury to enforce the anti-  
dumping clause in the new Tariff  
Act.—*Reuter's American Service.*  
extraordinary session of the New  
York Supreme Court for August  
26, to investigate the charge  
against Mr. Ewald, despite the  
fact that a Grand Jury refused to  
indict him last week.—*Reuter's  
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KETCH UP ON OUR READING!  
I KNOW MY BOOK! I STUCK  
A WAD O' GUM ON 'EM PAGE  
WHERE I LEFT OFF!  
GEE, THIS IS A GREAT BOOK.  
I'M READING, SAM—IT'S ABOUT  
BENEDICT ARNOLD, THE JANITOR!  
YER ALL WET, RED! BENEDICT ARNOLD WAS  
A TRAITOR, NOT A  
JANITOR!  
OH, YEAH? WELL, LOOK  
RIGHT THERE ON PAGE  
678!  
IT SAYS THAT AFTER HIS  
EXILE HE SPENT THE REST  
OF HIS LIFE IN  
ABASEMENT!



A view of the firework display which was a feature of the evening celebrations of the Fourteenth of July in Paris. (Times copyright).



Cochet and Allison are shown after their match at Wimbledon. Allison won. (Times copyright).



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Another side of the Woolwich Tattoo. Instructors of the Rushgrove Gymnasium giving a gymnastic display during the rehearsals. (Times copyright).



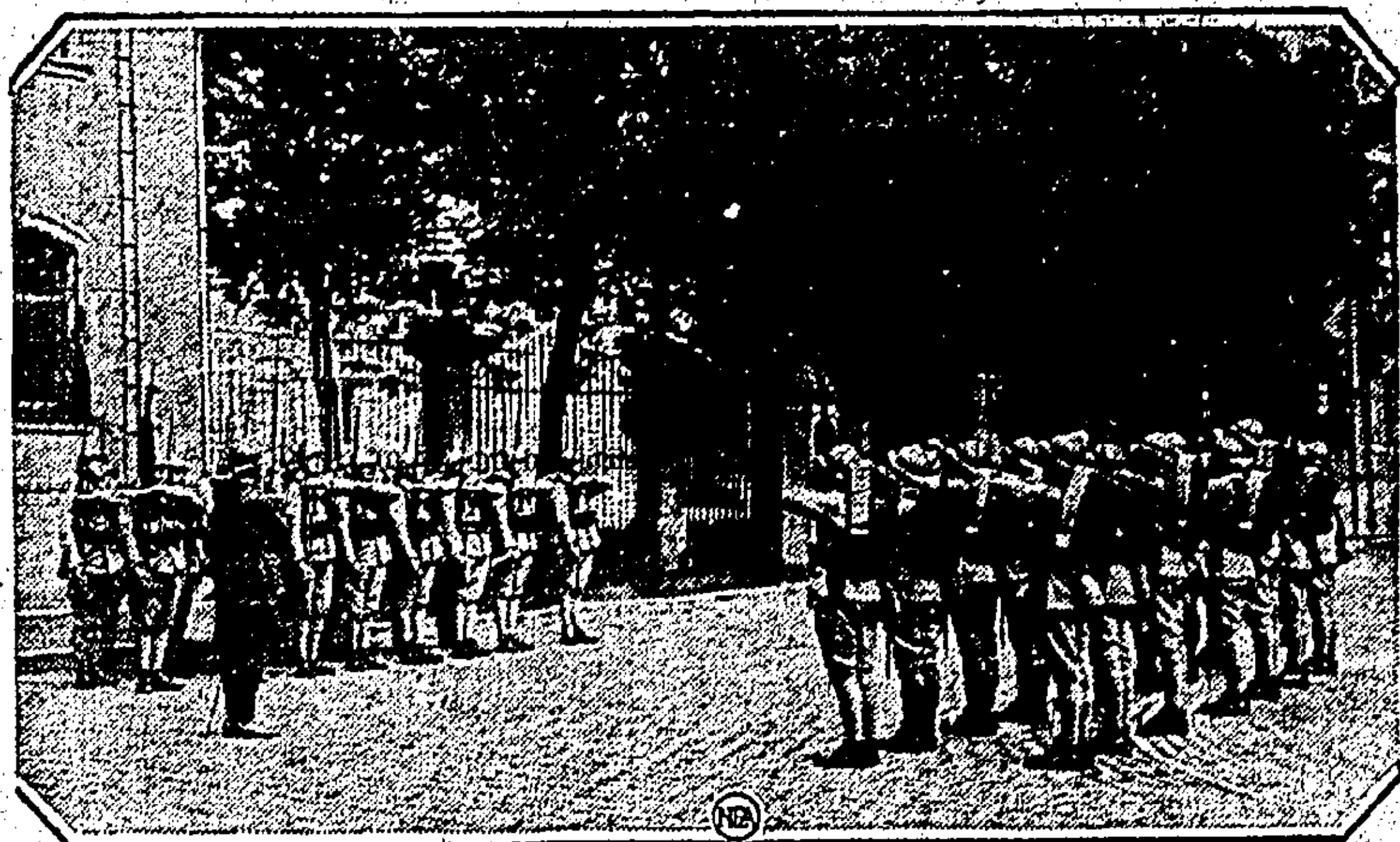
Delegates from 40 countries attended the Girl Guides' Camp at Lyndhurst, England, and Lord Baden-Powell paid a visit of inspection. He is seen with Lady Baden-Powell and delegates wearing their national dress. These delegates include representatives of Denmark, Hungary, and Spain.



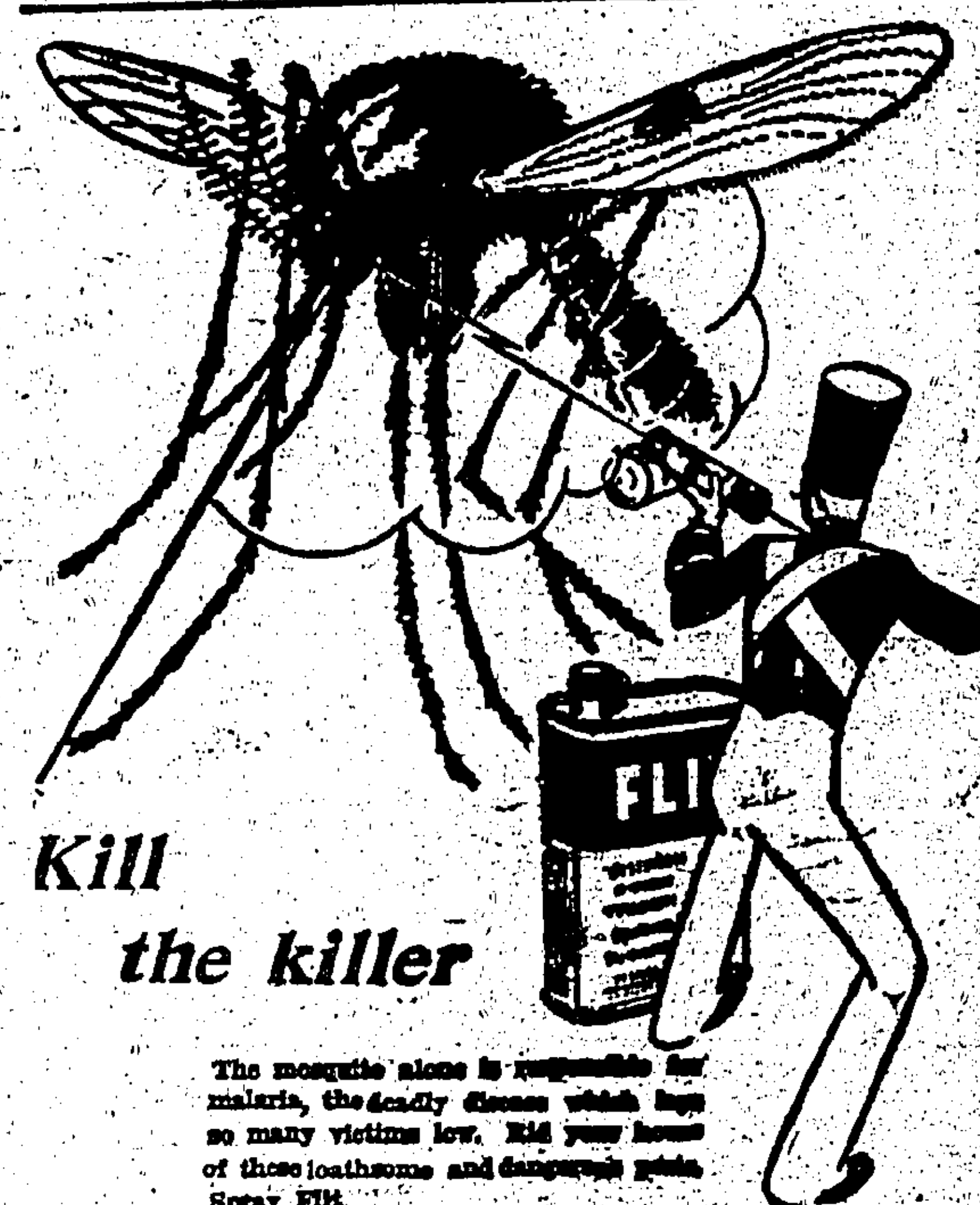
A Chinese water colour, the work of Miss Yu Dan-han, eldest daughter of Mr. Yu Ya-ching which was auctioned at the Ningpo Guild for the benefit of the Ningpo Poor Children's Home.



Miss Milly Costa became the wife of Mr. A. M. Allemac at the Church of the Sacred Heart at Shanghai.



The eleven-and-a-half-year occupation of the Rhineland was being brought to an end as this photo was taken at Mainz, Germany. It shows the guard of French poilus being changed for the last time. Shortly afterward the French, British and Belgian colours were hauled down and the black, red and gold banner of Republican Germany floated for the first time in history over the Electoral Palace.



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598, 618, 634, 638, 639, 642, 650,  
667, 671, 678, 683, 685, 691, 695,  
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## LOST.

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th August, 1930, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 12th September, 1930, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 28th August, 1930, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD., Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd August, 1930.

HOLLAND-OOST AZIE LIJN.

(HOLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE).

From BREMEN, GENOA, HAM-BURG, ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM and ANTWERP.

The Steamship "GEMMA" VOY. 14.  
Goods not cleared by the 26th August, 1930, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 25th August, 1930 at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, Hongkong.

Claims against the steamer must be presented in writing within ten days after arrival of steamer, otherwise they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected by the undersigned in any case whatsoever.

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## KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.

## NOTICE.

The Public is hereby informed that a revised Timetable will come into force on and from Tuesday, 26th August, 1930. Attention is drawn to alterations to the time of arrival and departure of certain local trains.

As a result of improvements to the track between Canton and Shek Lung the through journey is now reduced to 4 1/2 hours. It is hoped to resume normal running by the end of the year.

R. BAKER,

Manager.

Kowloon, 22nd August, 1930.

## HONGKONG REALTY &amp; TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of thirty cents per share, in respect of the year 1930, will be payable on Thursday, the 4th September 1930, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office, Exchange Building.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Thursday, the 28th August, 1930, to Wednesday, the 3rd September, 1930 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
C. F. V. RIBEIRO,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, 9th August, 1930.

## ROYAL HONG KONG YACHT CLUB.

## "TREVESA" TROPHY.

The 14th bi-annual race for ship's lifeboats will be sailed on MONDAY, the 22nd September, starting at 4 p.m.

Each ship may enter any number of boats.

Course:—Start from Channel Rocks, thence to Kowloon Rock (P), Mark off Yacht Club (S), Cuest Rock Mark (P), finish across Yacht Club line West to East.

Competing boats should be in position at the starting line by 3.30 p.m.

Ships proposing to enter boats are requested to notify the Hon. Secretary, R.H.K.Y.C. not later than noon on the 22nd September.

M. L. De VILLE,

Hon. Secretary, R.H.K.Y.C.

Hongkong, 20th August, 1930.

## NOTICE.

Some of the shareholders of the Hongkong Realty and Trust Co., Ltd. have prepared a Requisition to be made to the Directors for convening a Meeting to pass certain important Resolutions affecting the Company.

Any shareholder desiring to see or sign the Requisition should apply personally to the undersigned during office hours when full particulars will be gladly supplied.

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Flour, Sulphate of Ammonia, Iron, Steel Sheets, Glass Bottles, Old Newspapers, Sugar, Matches, Personal Effects, Hair Oil, Cigars, Cigarettes, Wire, Acid Bar Ends, Wood, Salt Fish, Tea, Razors, Plate Cuttings, Wire Rope, Oil, Cotton Ware, Enamel Ware, Hemp, etc., etc.

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## CAPTURE OF "RED" LEADER.

## INDUCED BY DETECTIVE TO LEAVE HONGKONG.

## FRONTIER ARREST.

Canton, Aug. 21.  
The notorious "Red" leader, Yu Tso-yue, was arrested at Shum Chun, on the frontier, on Sunday last. He was known to be in hiding in Hongkong and a special detective was sent down to the Colony by the Bureau of Public Safety of Canton to try and entice him to come up to Canton.

The detective officer, Liang Tse-kwong, discovered the Red leader in Hongkong some ten days previously, and, becoming friendly with him, finally induced him to leave the Colony by train from Kowloon on Sunday morning. However, Detective Liang Tse-kwong was taking no chances, and as soon as the train crossed into Chinese territory near Shum Chun he effected his arrest.

The "Red" leader was immediately escorted to Canton and subjected to examination. At the Court Martial many interesting points were disclosed. It appears that the accused is the brother of Yu Tso-pak, ex-Governor of Kwangsi, who last year led a Kwangsi expedition against Canton but was subsequently defeated.

Furthermore Yu Tso-yue admitted that he held an important position as Commander of the 8th Soviet Army in China. It was with this army that he recently tried, with other notorious Communists and bandits, to establish a Soviet regime in Lung Chow and Posh in Western Kwangsi, but after suffering defeat at the hands of the Yunnanese invaders, he fled and has since been in hiding in Hongkong.

It is highly probable that Yu Tso-yue will be shot at once. Our Own Correspondent.

## REPLACEMENT COST OF BOLTS.

## P.W.D. PROSECUTION OF DEALER.

Ma Chung, a marine goods dealer, was charged before Mr. Lindsell, at the Central Police Court this morning, with receiving stolen goods, namely 37 bolts, the property of the P. W. D. The bolts were valued at \$4 each. Mr. J. H. Armstrong (for the defence).—That is what they cost when they are new, I gather. A. P. W. D. representative.—They were not new, but they had never been used. The cost would be what it would take to replace them.

Defendant was remanded on bail in the sum of \$250.

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## TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

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Chartered Bank, \$168 n.  
Mercantile & B., \$28 n.  
East Asia, \$121 n.

## Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$945 n.  
Union Ins., \$438 b.  
North China Ins., Tls. 160 b  
Yantai Ins., \$50 n  
China Underwriters, \$2.65 b.  
China Fire, \$400 b.  
H. K. Fire Ins., \$975 b.

## Shipping.

Douglas, \$27 b  
H. K. Steamboats, \$241 b.  
Indo-Chinas, (Def.) \$43 n.  
Union Waterboats \$32 n.

## Mining.

Bongueta, \$8 n.  
Kailans, 26/3 n.  
Langkats, Tls. 81 n.  
S'hai Explorations, Tls. 130 b  
Rauha, \$221 n.  
Tronoha, 21/- n.

## Decks, etc.

Kowloon Wharves, \$164 s.  
Whampoa Docks, \$39 s.  
China Providents, \$5.10 b.  
Hongkows, Tls 260 b.  
New Engineering, Tls. 71 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 117 b.

## Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 121 s.  
S'hai Cottons, Tls. 83 (old) n.

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H. and S. Hotels, \$10.50 ss.  
H. K. Lands, \$78 s.  
do. 76 n. x Rights  
do. Rights 15 n.  
S'hai Lands Tls. 287 n.  
Humphreys, \$16 s.  
Realists, \$9.40 b.  
Chinese Estates \$87 n.

## Public Utilities.

Tramway, \$18 40 b.  
Peak Trams (old) \$121 b.  
Star Ferries, \$85 n.  
China Lights, (Old) \$24 b.  
H. K. Electric, \$77 b.  
Macao Electric, \$23 n.  
Telephones, \$33 b.  
China Buses, Tls 181 b.  
Singapore Tractions, 10/- s.

## Industrials.

China Sugars, \$110 b.  
Malabons, \$27 n.  
Cald: Macq. Ord: Tls. 10.40 n.  
Canton Ice, \$2.10 n.  
Cements (Comb.) \$17.75 s.  
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Watsons, \$12 s.  
Der A. Wings, \$1 b.  
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Sinceres, \$11.50 b.

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The special rate of 2 cents per 4 oz. on newspapers published in the Colony and addressed to Hongkong, United Kingdom, British Possessions and Protectorates, China and Macao has been abolished and the rate of 2 cents per 2 oz. substituted therefor.

Circulars for addresses in the Colony or Wei Hai Wei, which are posted in batches of not less than ten of uniform size and weight, and which are posted by being delivered to an officer of the Post Office, are now charged postage at the rate of 2 cents for each 2 oz. or part of 2 oz. instead of 1 cent per 2 ozs. as heretofore.

## INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	August 22.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London 29th July)	Kamo Maru	August 22.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan, Shanghai (San Francisco 25th July) and Europe via Siberia (London 2nd August)	Pres. Polk	August 23.
Shanghai and Swatow	Shirata	August 23.
Calcutta and Straits	Ginyo Maru	August 23.
Manila	President Lincoln	August 24.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco 1st August)	Tjisalak	August 24.
Amoy and Swatow	Pres. Cleveland	August 25.
Japan and Shanghai	Van Heutsz	August 25.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. 7th August)	Angers	August 26.
Japan	Emps. of Canada	August 27.
Shanghai and Amoy	La Plata Maru	August 28.
Saigon	Tjisondari	August 31.
Australia and Manila	G. Metzinger	September 1.
	St. Albans	September 3.

## OUTWARD MAILS

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For	Per	Date and Time.
Nauru and Ocean Island	Apocoy	Fri., Aug. 22, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Siberia	Hakone Maru	Fri., Aug. 22, 3.30 p.m.
Sam Shui and Wuchow	Fook On	Fri., Aug. 22, 4 p.m.
Tourane	Chungkong	Fri., Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
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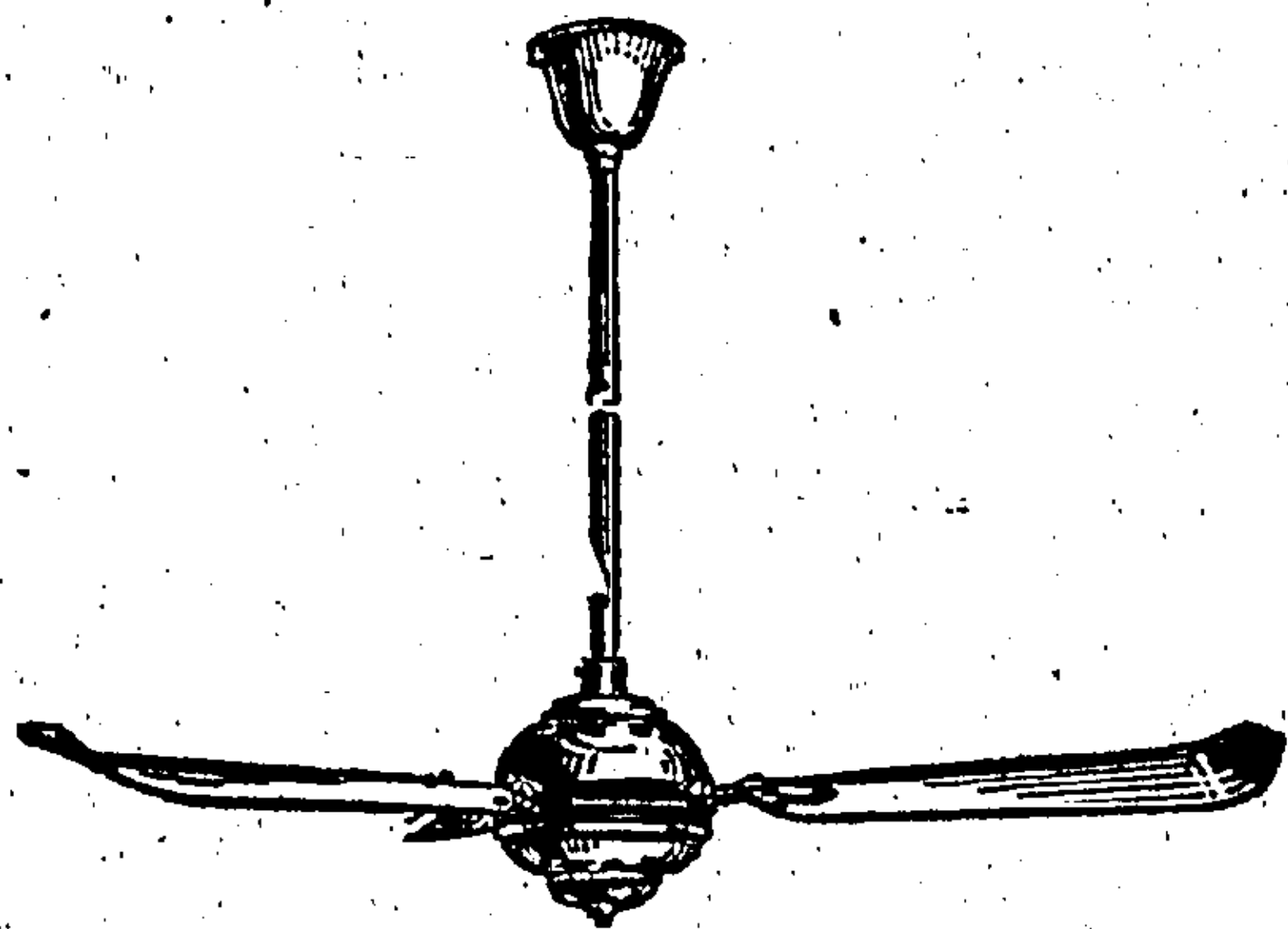
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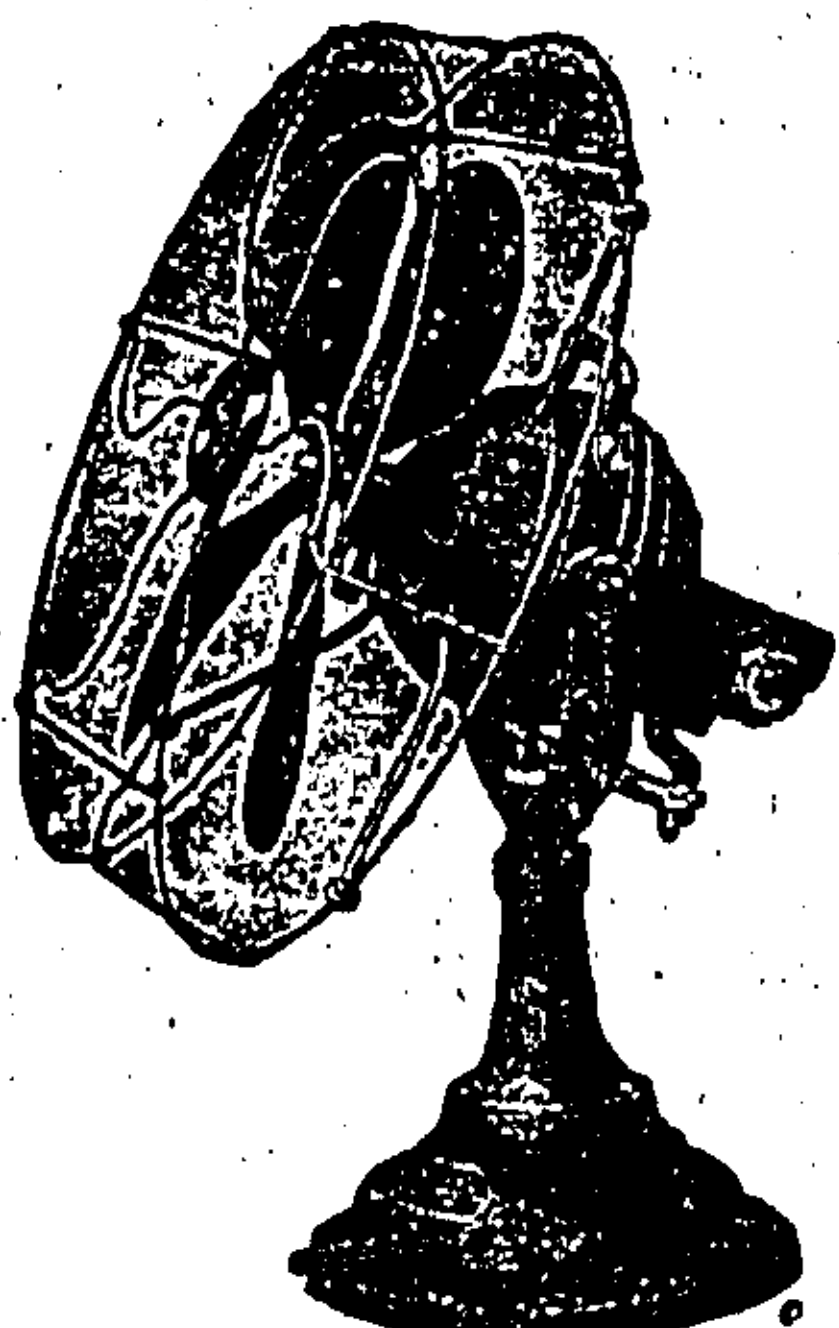
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A substantial salad in a large bowl will be the main dish. Boil fresh beans, peas and carrots in separate waters with a little sugar added to revive garden freshness. Drain and chill. Just before serving, place in bowl with raw celery, green peppers chopped coarsely, sliced tomatoes and at least two kinds of salad greens. If celery is not obtainable, shredded cabbage may be substituted. Mix thoroughly with French dressing.

A fruit salad moulded in lemon gelatine and mayonnaise and chilled in the refrigerator offers another possibility for the hostess who would tempt languid summer appetites. Serve this on a flat green dish garnished with lettuce and ripe and green olives.

#### Use Cold Cuts.

Other main dishes can be cold cuts served with tart currant jelly, garnished with watercress and hard cooked eggs. Use thin slices of tongue, chicken or any other meat on hand. Variations on this main dish require only ingenuity. A loaf of ground or chopped meat, deftly seasoned with salt, paprika, mayonnaise and a dash of mint, and held firm with a small amount of gelatine, answers the desire for ease of preparation and economy of material.

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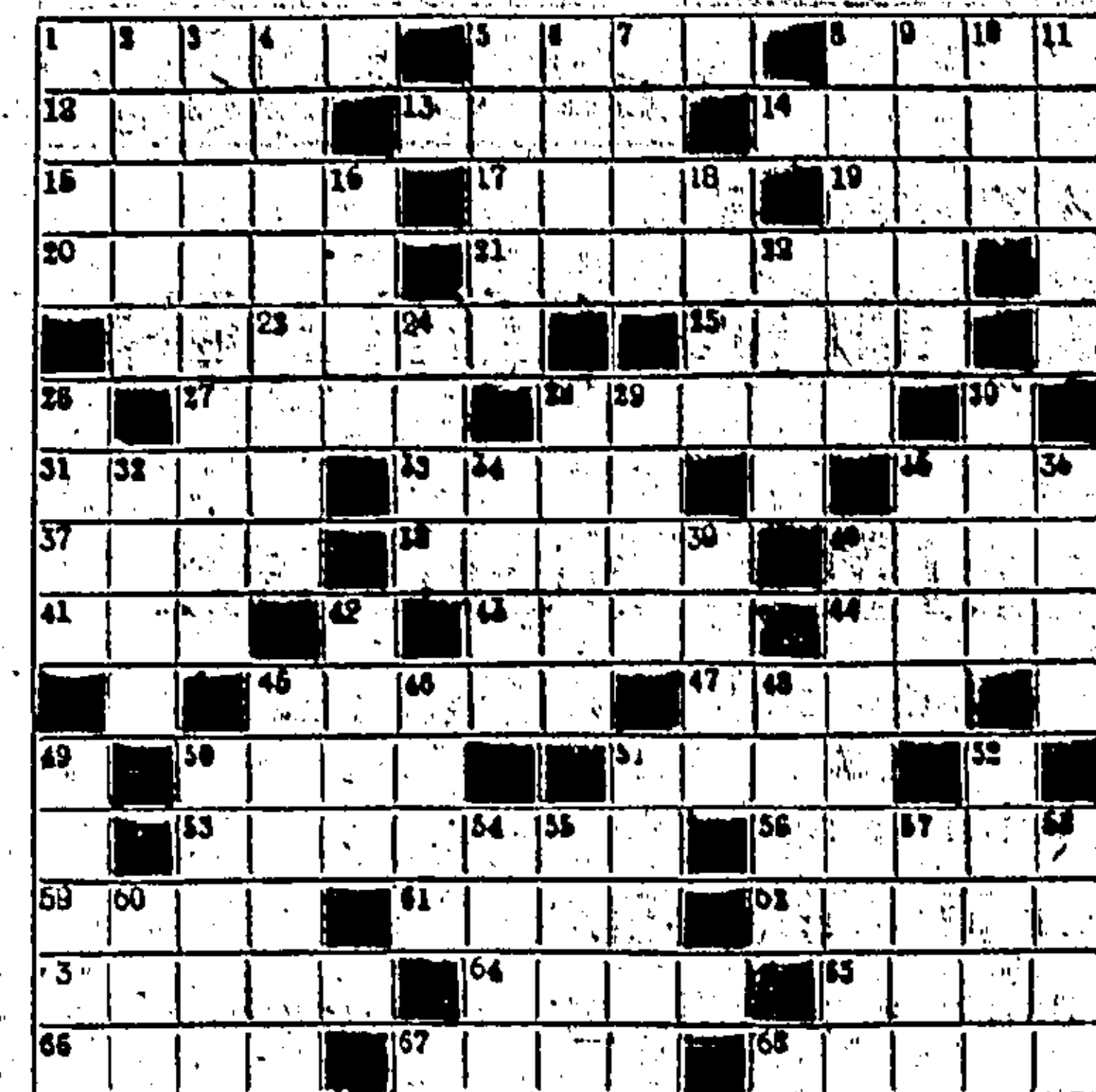
in the oven until crisp, should be served.

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6 Scarce.  
7 West Indian shrub.  
8 Garbs.  
9 More nice.  
10 Part of the verb "to be."

11 Pointed object.  
16 Not thick.  
18 Jump.  
22 Eager.  
24 Lizard like batrachian.  
26 Lively.  
27 Breathe quickly.  
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34 In this place.  
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46 Part of grammar.  
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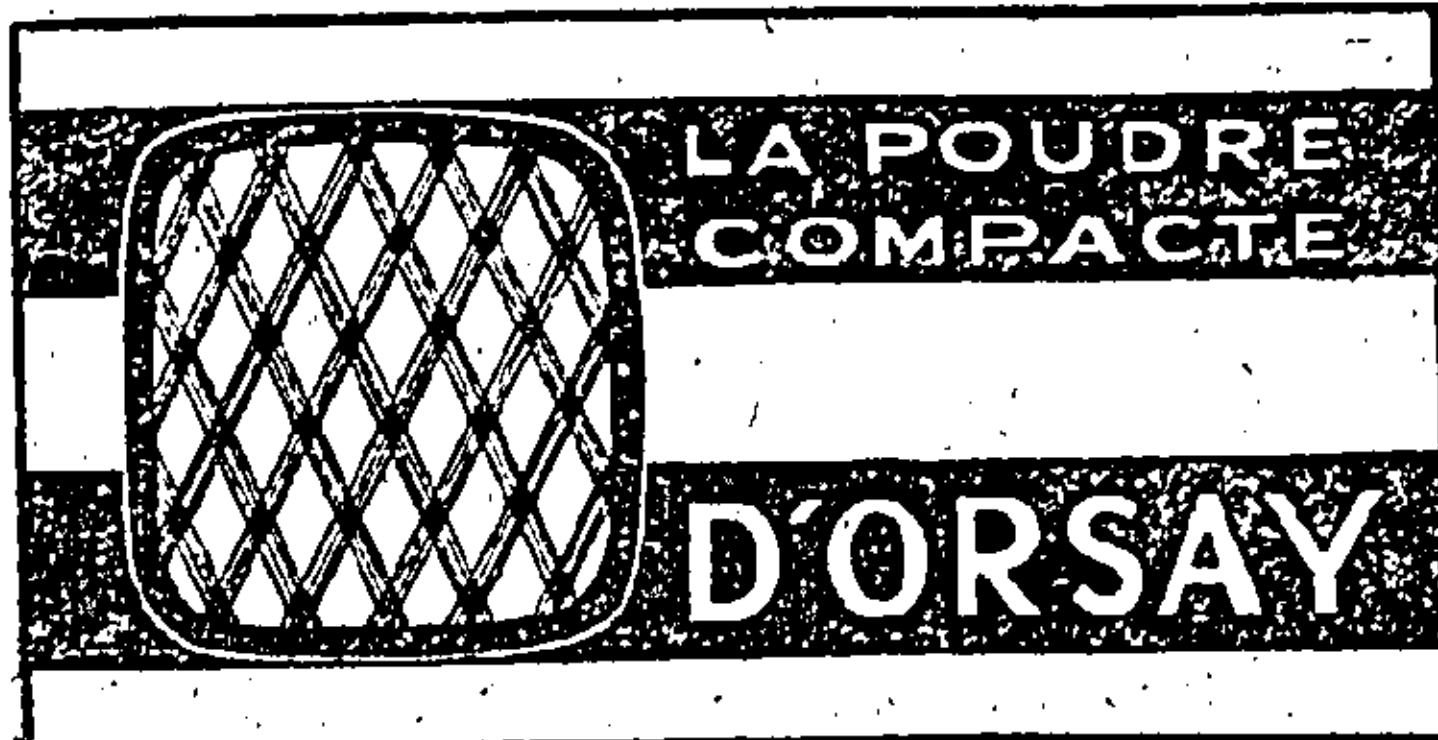
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FRIDAY, AUG. 22 1930.

### THE INDISCRETIONS OF WINSTON.

Some weeks ago, a political commentator at Home referred to what he described as "the blazing indiscretions of Mr. Winston Churchill, which are providing abundant ammunition for those who doubt, or pretend to doubt, the good faith of the British people towards India." Few people, we imagine, whatever their political leanings, can have read the latest observations by Mr. Churchill, of which a summary came to hand yesterday, without agreeing that his utterances warrant the description quoted. In seeking to discredit the Round-Table Conference before it even meets, Mr. Churchill displays a regrettable lack of statesmanship, whilst his assertion that no proposal for Dominion Status for India will pass the present House of Commons must be described as not only provocative, but as likely to increase the tension in India rather than otherwise, especially since all Parties, including his own, have agreed that it is precisely this status which Britain intends eventually to grant.

In his anxiety to discredit the present Government, Mr. Churchill is evidently prepared to go to any lengths, no matter what may be the reactions to his utterances. Never a man of balanced judgments, he has latterly flung all discretion to the winds, and we can only hope that his diatribes are assessed at their true worth both in India and in Egypt. His references to the Afridi invasion, as marking the lowest ebb of British authority in India, are difficult to understand. He speaks of a spirit of defeatism which, he says, has paralysed military action at Peshawar. Yet for weeks past we have had reports of extensive Air Force action against the invading tribes, resulting in much slaughter. We could understand Mr. Churchill's strictures if there really had been military inactivity, but it is as clear as it could well be that the military authorities on the spot have been given power to deal with the invasion as they deem advisable. As to the Round-Table Conference, we wonder what good Mr. Churchill imagines he is doing in predicting its failure. He may differ from the Government on the question of excluding Sir John Simon from the Conference, but he seemingly

overlooks the point that the end in view is a disinterested examination of the whole Indian problem by people who have not yet committed themselves to any scheme of solution. It is obviously undesirable that the Conference should meet under conditions which might suggest that the question has been pre-judged, although in actual fact it will have before it the Simon Report and any other data which is likely to prove of value. Fortunately, the attitude of the European community in India has so far been admirable. Sir Hugh Cooke, their leader in the Assembly, recently assured the House that there were no die-hards among the European community to-day, that "the die-hards in England are not going to dictate to India," and that the representatives of the European community at the Round-Table Conference would work wholeheartedly "to help the Indians to get a stable Constitution for India." Mr. Eric Studd, son of Sir Kynaston Studd, spoke to the same effect. Their attitude contracts sharply with that displayed by the unbalanced outlook of Mr. Winston Churchill, and we incline to think that it is more typically representative of British opinion generally.

Not only in regard to India, but also in respect of Egypt, is Mr. Churchill bitterly anti-Government in his opinions. He complains of the Foreign Office interfering in Egyptian affairs, suggesting that it may be trying to breed a civil war in that country as serpents are bred at the Zoo. Here, seemingly, his complaint is not, as in the case of India, of placating native opinion; rather the reverse. We recall, however, the chorus of approval from Conservative quarters when Mr. Henderson, in the recent negotiations, refused to give way to the Egyptian demands concerning the Sudan. The Foreign Secretary at that time took a stand which clearly demonstrated that he was not to be dragged into making unreasonable and dangerous concessions, with the result that the negotiations broke down. Yet Mr. Churchill now talks of undue interference in Egypt's affairs. The Churchillian attitude is evidently based on one idea—that whatever the Government does must, *ipso facto*, be wrong. If it seeks by conciliation to solve the Indian problem, it is guilty of betraying Imperial interests. If it refuses to be dictated to in Egypt, it is seeking to create civil war. How, we ask, can any importance or value be attached to the effusions of a politician who in this way shows that he pays more heed to embarrassing his political opponents than to any other consideration?

### Naval Building.

Although the Naval Conference is now merely history and the ratification of the resulting Treaty by all parties almost assured, there are factors regarding naval shipbuilding in the future which warrant consideration. It is pertinent to ask whether the signatories to the Treaty are immediately to set to work to build up to the maximum tonnage provided for in the Treaty, especially when it is remembered that the Naval Conference was called not to abolish naval shipbuilding but merely to limit it. Britain has outlined her building programme for 1930, Mr. Alexander making out a watertight case for the programme he was forced to defend. The 1928 programme was cancelled altogether, part of that of 1929 was held over and therefore it does not seem to argue any very culpable lapse into militarism that in 1930 steps should be taken to move in the direction of the standard contemplated in the Treaty. It is also necessary to remember that there is to be a World Disarmament Conference next year, concerning itself with naval, as well as military and air armaments. That will give an opportunity for reconsidering the 1930 London figures, with the hope that if France and Italy have composed their differences finally and the cessation of naval competition has created an atmosphere of confidence, a lower maximum all round than that

### DAY BY DAY

HE WHO PLAYS WITH DOLLARS IN HIS YOUTH WILL HAVE TO REG FOR FARTHING IN HIS AGE.—Home.

A Chinese case of puerperal fever was notified yesterday.

The Hon. Treasurer of the St. John Ambulance Brigade begs to acknowledge the receipt of the following donations to Brigade Funds:—Mr. Chan Lim-pak, \$150; Mr. Chan Chu, \$10.

A memorial stone will be erected over the grave of Mr. K. F. Woodward, third officer of the s.s. Hanching, who was killed in the attempted piracy of December 8 last. The stone will be erected at the expense of the Government.

The funeral of the late Mr. C. Earnshaw took place at Happy Valley last evening, Rev. W. W. Rogers, vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, reading the service. Among those who gathered at the graveside were Mr. I. Goldenberg, proprietor of the Palace Hotel, Sgt. Reid of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, and Messrs. W. Clark, A. J. Osmund, J. Forbes, Harry and Charles Stewart and P. Apps and the staff of the hotel.

Lord and Lady Rathcreedan are to pay a visit to Hongkong early next year, arriving here on January 30th. Lord Rathcreedan, formerly Cecil William North, was for several years in the Army and later became Liberal M. P. for West Newington, London. He held several ministerial posts, including that of Assistant Postmaster General, Junior Lord of the Treasury, and Additional Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Munitions and Supply.

A Chinese was convicted by Mr. Whyte Smith, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on a charge of stealing a blanket from a Chinese passenger on board a ship. Detective Sergeant Humphries said that the defendant was unemployed and usually boarded ships at about midnight and stole articles from passengers. As a previous conviction for larceny was proved against the defendant, the magistrate sentenced him to four months' imprisonment.

fixed in London may be found possible. It would be a profound mistake to take it for granted that Great Britain must of necessity equip herself with 339,000 tons of cruisers, the United States with 323,500 tons and so on by 1936. There is already a strong public opinion in the United States against this policy of maximum building and Japan will, quite probably be ready, perhaps even as soon as next year, to join in bringing down the 1930 maximum to something lower, subjected of course to the abstention of France and Italy from action that would make this impossible. To accept, therefore, Britain's present programme in no sense means accepting the Treaty programme up to 1936 as immutable.

## This Sun Bathing Business.

I HAVE been reading with the deepest amusement the accounts of the scene at the sun-bathing of a number of total strangers. Moreover, they were not impelled by an officious solicitude for their poor basking brains, but by indignation that they should sit there on the grass imperfectly clothed.

Now, I can quite understand that many people may be depressed by the spectacle of naked humanity. Personally I cannot see that an ugly body is any more offensive than an ugly dress.

They Needn't Look.

This, however, is not the point. The people who made a fuss at the sun-bathing of bodies of any kind, beautiful or ugly.

But do they cherish their over- delicate sensibility and avoid places where they are liable to shock? (After all, England is still full of places where one can be pretty certain that everyone will be fully clothed.) No. These astonishing people assemble in a large crowd at the one place where they know they will see the very thing which displeases them. There are some types of mind which it is hopeless to try to understand.

But there is another equally odd conclusion which emerges from the situation; that is, the devastating selfrighteousness of all parties. The sunbathers are not merely content to enjoy themselves in a fashionable but slightly idiotic manner. They must pretend that they are full of exalted moral purpose, martyrs in the cause of hygiene and true decency.

Hypocrisy.

That is one of the queer characteristics of our countrymen. They will always quote the highest motives for whatever they do. If an Italian, say, overcharges one's bill or gives one the wrong change and is detected, he grins and admits failure. An Englishman will always attempt to prove himself right, will go on grumbling until one is out of earshot and will think one "no gentleman" for pointing out his dishonesty.

So it is with the disturbers of the peace at the Welsh Harp. If only the sun-bathers will be frank and say: "We like to lie and cook in the sun, because (a) someone told us it was fashionable; (b) it is rather fun seeing what our friends look like without their clothes; (c) it is comfortable to let our brains dry up completely so that we haven't got to bother about thinking."

If only the other side would say: "It was a hot day and we felt pugnacious and thought it would be fun to push those cranks into a pond."

But no. There must be all the usual clap-trap about "Freedom," "Health," "Purity" and even, most fantastic cry of all, "Save the children!"

What a funny lot we are!



Hit-and-run driver.

## LAND DISPUTE ACTION.

## PROPERTY ASSIGNMENTS EXPLAINED.

## SALE OF A GODOWN.

Further evidence was heard in the land dispute case which was resumed before the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph KEMP) in the Supreme Court this morning. The senior managing partner of the Un Wo Lok Tong spoke of the assignment of half the property in question to Lau Yu-fong and Lau Yick-cheuk but said he could not give an explanation of entries regarding a \$20,000 item which appeared in the books of 1919.

Un Ting-kwong the senior managing partner of the Un Wo Lok Tong, said he was an executor of the will of the late, Un Hoi-U. Witness continued that he knew the Un godown property. On November 29, 1919, he and the other executors of Un Hoi-U's will assigned their half share in the property to Lau Yu-fong and Lau Yick-cheuk. Before that assignment the Man Chung-un firm had a half interest in the property and the Kung Yuen held the other half.

Mr. Sheldon:—Then how came it that you and the other executors of Un Hoi-U's will were able to assign half of the godowns to Lau Yu-fong and Lau Yick-cheuk?—As a matter of fact the late Lau Ping and Un Hoi-U held these godowns in trust for these two firms? It was not a case of it being their own property.

## Also Held Trusts.

So after their deaths the administrators of Lau Ping's estate and the executors of Un Hoi-U's will also held these trusts?—Yes. Witness explained that the whole of the property was undivided and was common between the administrators and executors. There was no sharp division, setting out any particular half for one or the other. When they assigned their share they received \$70,000, the money being paid by Lau Yu-fong and Lau Yick-cheuk out of money belonging to the Lau Kwong Yu Tong. In other words, the Lau Kwong Yu Tong purchased the property through Lau Yu-fong and Lau Yick-cheuk.

Cross-examined by Mr. Jenkin, witness said he remembered a document which was shown to him in the previous action which was to the effect that the Un Wo Lok Tong had repaid \$20,000 to the Lau Kwong Yu Tong on November 29, 1919. Counsel pointed out the document showed that the \$20,000 had been repaid on the same day on which the half share of the godown was sold.

Witness said that as he had explained before it was so long ago he could not clearly remember what had happened, but, in fact, such a sum of money was never repaid.

When shown a cash book for 1919, witness agreed it contained an entry to the effect that the Lau Kwong Yu Tong had been credited with \$20,000 by a transferred account and not by a cash payment, but said that the coincidence was nothing to be surprised at. He was shown another book containing an entry of the repayment to the Kung Yuen of \$20,000 on the same date but said he could not give any more explanation than the entries themselves gave.

## GIRL HAWKER'S EXCUSE.

## SAYS HER MOTHER IS 100 YEARS OLD.

A 10-year-old girl charged with hawking vegetables without a licence told Mr. Lindsell this morning that she was the support of her aged parents.

"What is your mother's age?" his Worship queried.

Defendant:—My mother is a hundred years old.

The reply provoked smiles in the Court. The Magistrate:—You were born when your father was 90!

The girl was remanded on a bail of \$5, the Magistrate directing the prosecuting Police Officer to bring up one of the parents.

## KWANGSI WARFARE CONTINUES.

## NATIONALIST FORCES MEET DIFFICULTIES.

## IRONSIDES' PLANS.

Canton, Aug. 21. The situation in Kwangsi has been much quieter during the past ten days, but the Nationalist forces are confronted with great difficulties in the efforts to round up and finally exterminate the rebels.

General Chan Chai-tong, Commander-in-Chief of the Nationalist Forces in South China, is at his headquarters at Wuchow, where he is directing the campaign. Matters are rendered more difficult by the breaking up of the rebels into small bands operating in different parts of the Province.

General Chang Fat-kwei and the remnants of his Ironsides are on the Hunan-Kwangsi frontier north of Kweilin. Though Kweilin is at present in the hands of the Nationalists, it is probable that General Chang Fat-kwei will counter-attack at that point in the near future. Kweilin is essential to the Ironsides if they really intend to again invade Kwangtung, commanding, as it does, the Kwei Kiang, the waterway to Wuchow.

Along the West River, the 63rd Division, under General Li Yang-kiang, is making slow progress in its drive for Nanning which, despite the frequent prophecies of the Nationalist leaders, is still in the hands of the rebels. Guerrilla fighting and small skirmishes in this part are daily occurrences.

The River Gunboat Section of the 4th Naval Squadron is assisting the 63rd Division on the West River, a number of gunboats patrolling the river in the neighbourhood of Kwei Hsien, Kwei Ping and Wuchow.

In the East of the Province, loyal Kwangsi Nationalist troops under General Shen Yung-kwang claim a number of victories over the Kwangsi rebels in those parts, during which they have captured Wait Sap, Fu Moon Hu and Shun Tu.

In order to facilitate the continuance of the campaign here, General Shen Yung-kwang has removed his Headquarters from Hoi Chien to Shun Tu.—Our Own Correspondent.

## NEW MOTOR SHIP.

## THE "ROSEVILLE" DUE IN NOVEMBER.

The Klavness Line, which started its service from the Pacific Coast in November last year, is adding superior vessels all the time to its fleet. The latest addition is the m.s. Roseville, of 9,000 tons deadweight and which has the following dimensions:—425' x 58'3" x 38'6". Her draft is 25'6" fully loaded. The vessel is built as an open shelter-decker, and the height in shelter-deck is 9'6".

Everything is arranged for quick loading and discharging. There are six hatches, of which five are 20' wide by 32', 35', 30', 32' and 35' in length respectively. The hatch on the poop is 11' x 15'. These hatches are served by 16 electric winches and 17 derricks, whereof 14 have a lifting capacity of five tons, two of 1½ tons and one of 2½ tons.

Aft of the engine room are three large refrigerators holds for cargo of a total capacity of 48,000 c. ft. Further, the vessel has four deep tanks for vegetable oils, each tank furnished with heating coils, and the total capacity is 1,800 tons.

Of fuel oil the vessel carries 1,000 tons in the double bottom and side tanks.

The main engines consist of two 6-cylinder single-acting B. and W. motors. The diameter of the cylinders is 630 m.m. and a stroke of 1,300 m.m. At a revolution of 140, the engines develop 5,500 I.H.P. with a speed of 14 miles fully loaded, while there are three 3-cylinder auxiliary motors of 120 H.P. For heating purposes of the cabins and deep tanks, a donkey boiler is installed.

The vessel is fitted with the most modern equipment known in the fields of electricity and wireless apparatus, and is also equipped with a Marconi direction finder.

The Roseville will arrive in Hongkong on her maiden voyage about November of this year. The general skipper is Captain Gerhard Johannsen, who learned his sea lore in the hard days of sail. He is the senior Captain of the owners, and has for the last 30 years been in command of various steam and motor ships belonging to the Company.

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## AMOY SCHOOL OF AVIATION.

## SHORTLY TO BE TRANSFERRED TO CANTON.

## FIRST IN CHINA.

Canton, Aug. 21. Owing to financial reasons, the Amoy Aviation School is to be transferred to Canton. This was the first School of Aviation to be established in China and came into being through the generosity of Overseas Chinese, mostly in the Philippines. Lately the School has got into financial difficulties and has now finally petitioned the Government to take charge.

The Kwangtung Provincial Government was appointed to investigate the situation and a special inspector, Mr. Chan, was sent to Amoy by the Bureau of Aviation to report on the situation. Mr. Chan completed his report on the 16th instant, with the result that the whole School is being immediately transferred to Canton. The thirteen students at present studying aviation in Amoy

## THE "TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT.

## Many Pictures Appear To-morrow.

There will be a big variety of pictures in to-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Art Supplement.

In the sphere of sport there will be photographs taken at several of the lawn bowls matches last Saturday, a group of the Club de Recreio and C.R.C. mixed doubles tennis players, and several of the Navy, Army and Air Force Institute bathing picnic, as well as snapshots and teams taken at the opening of the baseball season.

A picture of unusual interest will be that of a new express locomotive for the Kowloon-Canton railway service, powerful enough to do the journey with train of 400 tons in less than three hours.

Another picture of topical interest will be that of the Roman Catholic Cathedral at Nanking, recently destroyed in aeroplane raids on that city.

Portraits of Mr. A. Prisma and Miss Jessie Harris Walker, who are shortly to be married, and photographs taken at the Hongkong Boy Scouts' camp at Macao will also be included.

will be brought to Canton and pass straight into the 5th term grade at the Aviation School here at Tai Sha Tau. The aeroplanes, parts and all the material belonging to the School are also being brought to Canton and will arrive here by the end of the month.

The two fighting aeroplanes which arrived here a few days ago ordered from an American firm in Hongkong by the Kwangsi leaders and which were delivered to the Kwangtung Provincial Government, have been erected and tested to-day. The tests proved entirely satisfactory and the two planes will shortly join the 1st Kwangtung Air Squadron at Wuchow, where they will be engaged in operations against the Kwangsi forces.—Our Own Correspondent.

## 21 YEARS AGO.

## SOME EXTRACTS FROM THE "TELEGRAPH" FILES.

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended August 21st, 1909.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 8½d.

In order to effect retrenchment in expenditure, the Government decided to permit the use of the Kennedy Town Hospital for small-pox cases and to sell the hospital ship "Hygeia."

H. E. Kao Erh-chien, the special Chinese commissioner, was instructed by Peking to maintain a firm attitude in regard to the delimitation of the Macao boundary.

H. E. Yuan Shu-hsuan was appointed Viceroy of Canton.

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation declared a half-yearly dividend of £2 per share.

The rainfall registered at the Royal Observatory for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day was 1.26 inch. This makes the year's total 66.11, against an average of 62.37.

## MOTOR CYCLIST FINED.

## REAR LIGHT WHICH WAS NOT EFFECTIVE.

## CAR ON PAVEMENT.

A summons brought against Mr. G. R. Payne before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy this morning accused the defendant of riding his motor cycle, No. 1,109, without a properly trimmed and lighted rear light.

The defendant pleaded guilty and intimated that the machine did not belong to him and he was giving it a trial, at the time. Three or four minutes before being stopped, the light had been on.

When asked what had happened, the defendant replied the wire had frayed on the mudguard and become disconnected.

The prosecuting officer intimated that the defendant had told him the light had been on when he left the garage, but accused did not seem to know much about the light. The officer felt it and found it was cold.

A fine of \$5 was imposed.

Mr. Horace Lo appeared on behalf of a driver who was accused of driving a public vehicle without the permission of the owner, but, owing to the absence of the owner, the summons was dismissed.

When a summons was mentioned accusing a public driver of obstruction on the pavement at the junction of Caine Road and Ladder Street, Mr. F. C. E. Rendall entered a plea of not guilty and intimated that the car was not on the pavement, but, after hearing the evidence of Sergeant Goldsmith, who indicated that all four wheels were on the footpath, Mr. Rendall withdrew his plea and admitted the offence.

A fine of \$5 was imposed.

## PRINCESS BORN AT GLAMIS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Glamis Castle for the past fortnight while Mr. Clynnes has been staying at Airie Castle, the residence of the Dowager Countess of Airie, lady-in-waiting to the Queen.

It is interesting to note that it is over 300 years since a Royal baby was born in Scotland.

Another interesting fact is that the Princess was born on August 21, the same day as the Hon. Gerald David Lascelles, second son of Princess Mary.

## Second Daughter.

The Duke of York is the second son of the King and Queen. He was born on December 14, 1895 and was married to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon on April 26, 1923. Her Royal Highness Princess Elizabeth Alexandra Mary was born on April 21, 1926.

The Duchess of York has become one of the most popular figures in Great Britain since her marriage to the Duke of York and the Princess Elizabeth has won the hearts of everyone.

Few Royal betrothals aroused so much popular enthusiasm as that of the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon. This was partly due to the fact that the Prince had not gone abroad for his consort and partly on account of the charming personality of the bride.

## Popular Duchess.

The young Duchess, who became a Royal Highness with the status of a Princess, was at first a little overawed by the responsibilities of her position, but has proved equal to every occasion.

A great favourite with other members of the Royal Family she has become exceedingly popular all over the country thanks to her happy faculty of appearing fresh and smiling and cheery on every occasion. The fact that she had to act as hostess at Glamis Castle during her mother's long illness was a preparation for the public duties that fell to her after her marriage.

In 1922 and 1923 the Duke and Duchess represented the King at Court ceremonies in Rumania, Jugoslavia and Czechoslovakia. They also made a tour through Kenya and the East African Protectorate. The Duchess takes a full share in the national life, and works for all kinds of philanthropic institutions.

On January 6, 1926, the Duke and Duchess left England on a six months' visit to Australia and New Zealand. They sailed in H.M.S. Renown to Jamaica and proceeded via the Panama Canal to Suva, Fiji, and Auckland. Later they made an extensive tour in Australia and New Zealand and returned by way of the Suez Canal.

## FOR FAR EASTERN SERVICE.

## TWO NEW P. &amp; O. LINERS BUILDING.

## HANDSOME VESSELS.

Details are now officially available of the two steamers to be built for the P. & O. Company's Straits-China-Japan mail and passenger service, and for which orders have been placed with Messrs. Alexander Stephen and Sons, Ltd., of Glasgow. These will be handsome vessels of 14,500 tons gross measurement; length 520 feet, beam 70 feet; and they will have a 30 feet maximum draft.

Cabins will be provided on two (C and D) decks for approximately 164 first and 160 second saloon passengers. Those of the first class will consist of two-berth and single-berth cabins, together with four two-berth de-luxe cabins and four single-berth bathroom cabins. Among the second class cabins will be a fair proportion of cabins for two passengers and ample provision for family parties.

For first saloon passengers the entire area of the boat-deck will be available, besides the promenade deck immediately below. On the latter will be situated the first class public rooms, consisting of a lounge or music saloon, two comfortably furnished corridor lounges, which will serve as reading and writing rooms, and a smoking room. Aft of the smoking room there will be erected a verandah cafe of wide dimensions enclosed with sliding glass windows. A similar verandah cafe will be constructed abreast of the lounge at the forward end of the range of public rooms.

For the use of second saloon passengers there will be an extensive sports-deck and a lower promenade deck, on the latter of which will be the smoking and music saloons.

The provision of a spacious children's nursery on the boat-deck, with enclosed playing space, will be appreciated by passengers travelling with young families. The architect's drawings of the various saloons give indication of pleasing and restful schemes of decoration somewhat similar in character to those of the Viceroy of India, which was placed in commission on the P. & O. Bombay Line last year.

The new ships will have cruiser sterns, two funnels and two pole masts, and will be driven by single-reduction geared turbines of 14,000 horse power, with steam from high pressure water-tube boilers. Completion of the earlier one is expected by August, 1931, and of the other in the following October.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## The Church and Russia.

[To The Editor of Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—The Editor of *The China Fundamentalist* had already drawn my attention to the comments which you reprint in the *Hongkong Telegraph*. I cannot do better than repeat what I have already written to him; namely that partial quotations from an article are misleading and that if he desires his readers to know what we really think about the matter he will print the whole note, which was as follows:

"The proposal to order official prayers for the persecuted Christians in Russia has met with a determined and, as it seems to some, a very unreasonable opposition. It is, in a way, a subtle tribute to the influence of prayer on those who pray as well as on those who are prayed for, and that is probably the reason why it was opposed."

"As it is it would be difficult for the ordinary man to pray for those who are persecuted without condemning the persecutors or, at least, equating them with the forces of evil. In the present case to do that almost amounts to saying that the Russian Revolution was a bad thing and ought never to have happened. It is this kind of inference that made many sincere Christians doubt the wisdom of the proposed order, for however ghastly may have been the crimes of Bolshevism no one can pretend that the Tsarist regime was blameless and many believed that in the long run the Russian people will be the happier and the better for the Revolution. Also if it is true that the leaders of the Church sided, as they too often did in England, with the rich against the poor, it is not surprising that the Bolsheviks regarded Christianity, as many extreme but misguided Socialists do at home, as mere 'dope' to dull the desire for freedom in the masses. It is all nonsense of course, but understandable nonsense."

"Surely we should be carrying out the principles of the Sermon on the Mount more effectively if we prayed for the Soviet Government, that what was unworthy in it might be rooted out and what was good and in accordance with God's will might be strengthened."

I do not expect that the Editor of *The China Fundamentalist* will agree with our position, but I think any fair-minded reader will credit us with trying to see two sides of a debatable question.—Yours, etc.

H. V. KOOP.

Editor of St. John's Review.

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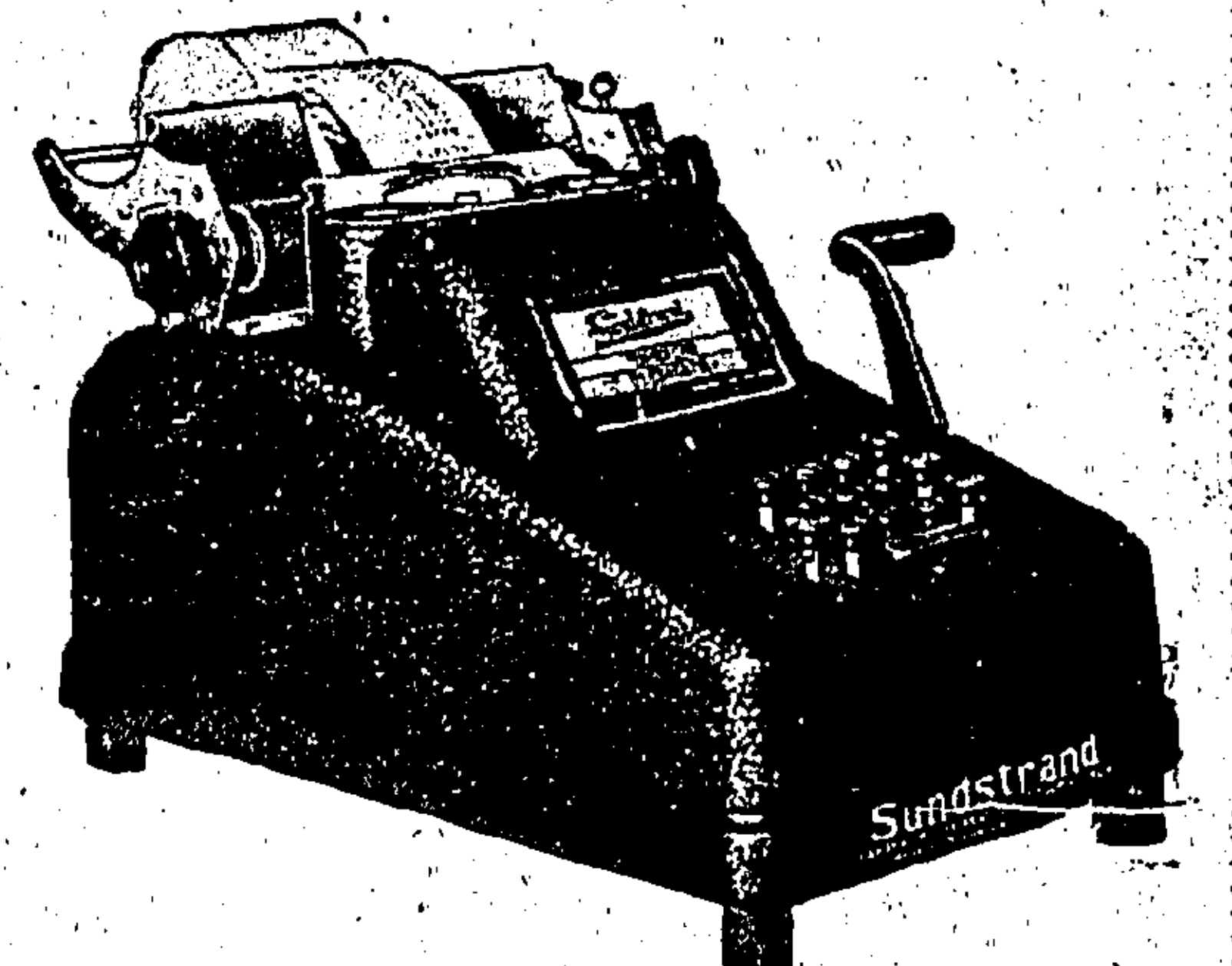
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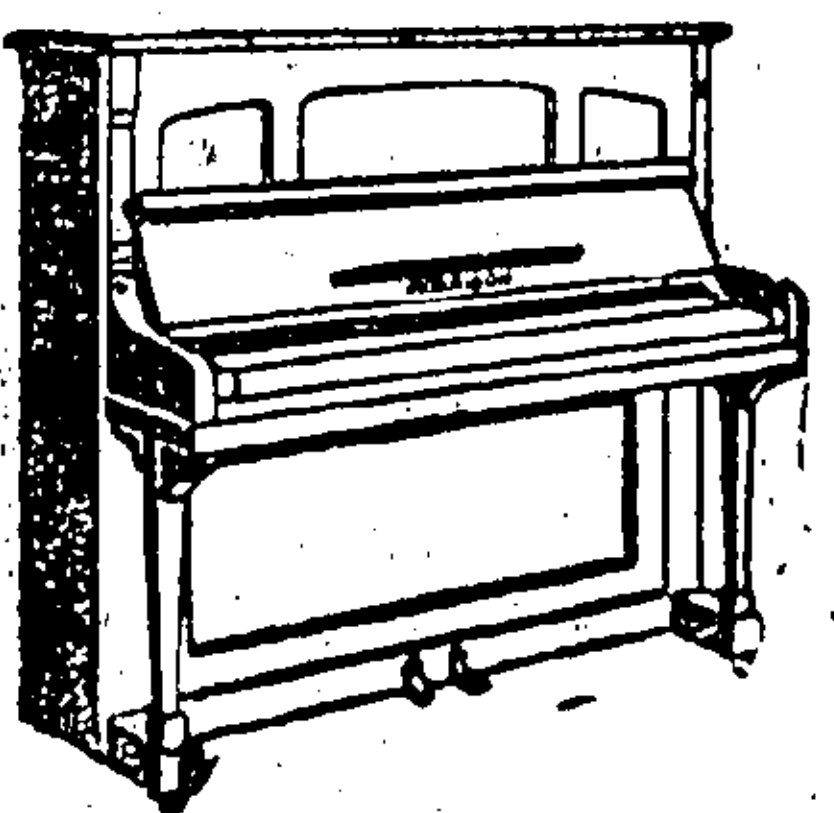
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## REFLECTIONS ON A JUDGE.

### "DAILY WORKER" GUILTY OF CONTEMPT.

#### PRISON SENTENCES.

Arguments were heard in a King's Bench Divisional Court, on a rule nisi calling on certain persons concerned in the printing and publication of the *Daily Worker* to show cause why they should not be attached for contempt of Court. The rule was granted at the request of the Attorney-General, Sir William Jowitt, K.C., who stated that the *Daily Worker* on July 8 contained an article commenting upon the trial before Mr. Justice Swift, at the Hampshire Assizes, of a man charged with distributing to troops at Aldershot copies of a pamphlet which was alleged to be an incitement to mutiny. The man was sentenced to eighteen months' hard labour.

Sentences from the article complained of, quoted by Sir William, were: "Rightly Swift, the Judge who sentenced Comrade Thomas, was the bewigged puppet and former Tory M.P. chosen to put the Communist leaders away in 1926." "The defending Counsel, able as he was, could not do very much in the face of the strong class bias of the judge and jury."

The rule was directed to Mr. William Thomas Wilkinson, described by the Attorney-General as the Managing Director of the Utopia Press, Ltd., Worship-street, E.C., printers of the *Daily Worker*; the three partners in the Workers' Press, Tabernacle-street, E.C., alleged to be the publishers of the paper; and a Mr. Priestley, said to be manager of the Workers' Press.

The Lord Chief Justice (Lord Hewart) presided; the other members of the Court were Justices Talbot and Macnaghten.

The defendants were W. T. Wilkinson, Frank Priestley, Frank Patterson, Robert McIlhorne, and Frank Brennan Ward. McIlhorne was not present, and the Attorney-General said that it had not been possible to serve the rule on him.

In the result the defendant Wilkinson was fined £250 and £25 towards the costs of the proceedings, to remain in custody until the money was paid; Priestley to be imprisoned for nine months; Patterson for six months; and Ward for five months. Each was adjudged to have been guilty of contempt of court.

In opening the proceedings, Mr. Croom-Johnson, on behalf of Mr. Wilkinson, said that the views expressed in the article were not the views of Mr. Wilkinson, and they were expressed on behalf of an organisation of which he was not, and never had been, a member.

In his affidavit Mr. Wilkinson submitted himself to the judgment of the Court, and put forward an apology with which it was hoped the Court would, in the circumstances, be satisfied. A proof of the article complained of came before Mr. Wilkinson, who made certain corrections. Unfortunately, the revised proof was not sent to the printing department, and Mr. Wilkinson discovered that the corrections had not been made. He would not have permitted the article to appear in the form in which it did appear had he known.

"Hands Off."  
Mr. Priestley said: I do not apologise, not one iota, for the comments we published. I believe every word of it is true and every word justified.

Asked if he had anything to say, Mr. Patterson argued that the comments on Mr. Justice Swift were justified. "We say 'Hands off the Daily Worker' Down with the Labour Government."

Mr. Ward made a statement on similar lines, using similar phrases and making neither apology nor withdrawal.

Lord Hewart, in giving judgment, said: In the words cited by the Attorney-General the step is taken not for the sake of the Judges as private individuals, but because they are the channels by which the King's justice is conveyed to the people. It is manifest that the publication of those words (in the *Daily Worker*) constitutes a gross and outrageous contempt of Court. I make only one remark, and that is that the question which of His Majesty's judges tries any particular case is a question determined by pure accident. In the case of circuits the Judge's selection of circuits takes place long before anybody knows what particular causes, civil or criminal, are to be tried on the particular circuit, and it is a mere accident of time and place, or in some other cases a mere accident of a rota, which determines the question which Judge shall hear a particular case.

Contempt Aggravated.  
The speeches which have been made by three of the respondents.

## AMERICAN STOCKS.

### CABLED QUOTATIONS FROM NEW YORK.

The following quotations have been received from their correspondents in New York by Messrs. Swan, Colburn and Frier, Sassoon House, Shanghai, (cable address: "Swanstock" Shanghai) who are not responsible for cable mutilations.

New York, Aug. 21.

Tone of Market.—Firm.	
No. of Shares Done.—1,750,000.	
Call Money.—3%.	
American Smelting .....	60
Anacosta Copper .....	45 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio .....	29
Borg Warner .....	29
Continental Oil .....	20
City Service Common .....	27
Curtis Wright Common .....	7
Eastman Kodak .....	207
Electric Bond & Share .....	80
Eric Railroad .....	38
General Motors .....	44
General Railway Signal .....	unc.
Gold Dust .....	41
Goodyear Tire & Rubber .....	61
Granby Consolidated .....	22
International Cement .....	67
International Nickel .....	22
Montgomery Ward .....	82
Nevada Consolidated Copper .....	unc.
Radio Corporation .....	40
Sears Roebuck .....	62
Simmons Company .....	25
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey .....	70 1/4
Standard Oil Co. of New York .....	31
Union Carbide & Carbon .....	75
United States Rubber .....	20
United States Steel .....	187 1/4

## FANLING GOLF.

### STARTING TIMES FOR SUNDAY.

9.20 a.m.—A. C. I. Bowker and J. R. Collis.	
9.24 a.m.—G. Castle and J. S. Dykes.	
9.28 a.m.—I. H. Geare and D. Forbes.	
9.32 a.m.—D. J. Keogh and C. H. Coultas.	
9.36 a.m.—L. Yates and H. A. Lammert.	
9.40 a.m.—O. Eager and A. D. Humphreys.	
9.44 a.m.—W. S. Hoke and W. D. Harris.	
9.48 a.m.—W. C. Shields and Comdr. Morris.	
9.52 a.m.—A. E. Lissaman and R. Young.	
9.56 a.m.—H. C. Shrubsole and J. E. Haig.	
10.00 a.m.—A. G. Coppin and E. des Voeux.	
10.04 a.m.—Comdr. Priestley and Capt. Weir.	

## EXCHANGE RATES.

London, Aug. 21.

Paris .....	123.825
Brussels .....	34.895
Amsterdam .....	12.094
Berlin .....	20.39
Copenhagen .....	18.165
Vienna .....	34.45
Helsingfors .....	192.716
Lisbon .....	103.25
Bucharest .....	8.18
Buenos Aires .....	40.916
Shanghai .....	1.774
Yokohama .....	2.011/32
New York .....	4.874
Geneva .....	25.045
Milan .....	92.97
Stockholm .....	18.12
Oslo .....	18.17
Prague .....	104.6
Madrid .....	16.80
Athens .....	3.75
Rio .....	4
Bombay .....	1/5 1/4
Hongkong .....	1/3 1/4
Silver (spot and forward) .....	16 1/2

—British Wireless.

When Princess Mary, Countess of Harewood, went to open the first section of the new Queen Charlotte's Hospital in Goldhawk-road, Hammersmith, a key handed to her by the architect would not turn when she placed it in the lock. For some seconds she struggled, but the door remained closed until someone stepped forward to give her a helping hand. The Princess spent nearly half an hour looking over the new building and visiting the wards, and had a word and a smile for all the mothers and babies in the hospital. The hospital, when completed, will be the largest maternity hospital in the Empire.

continued his Lordship, had been said not in mitigation, but in aggravation of the contempt which had been committed.

"With regard to the senior among the respondents, William Thomas Wilkinson, the case is somewhat different," added Lord Hewart. "He has sworn an affidavit in which he expresses his deep regret for the inexcusable language which was published, and offers a humble apology."

Lord Hewart then gave the decision of the Court stated above. As soon as the sentences were pronounced Priestley said that the sentences would not prevent the *Daily Worker* continuing to the working-class revolution. "It will go on," he said, "until you and all you represent are swept into the dustheap of history."

Immediately the judgment was concluded the respondents were taken by the Tipstaff to the cells below the courts, and later removed to Brixton Prison.

Mr. Wilkinson, managing director of the Utopia Press, was not with them, having paid the fine imposed.

## CINEMA NOTES.

### SONG HIT FEATURE OF "DAMES AHOY"

The rollicking strains of this sensationally popular song can be heard on the talking screen in "Dames Ahoy," hilarious Universal comedy now at the Queen's Theatre.

"Barnacle Bill" is sung by Glenn Tryon, who is starred in the picture, and his fellow gobs, Otis Harlan and Eddie Gribbon. The picture deals with the amazingly funny adventures of the three gobs on shore leave.

How the three gobs, woman haters all, get all snarled up with the fair and designing sex is a situation offering abundant material for one of the funniest pictures that has ever come to the screen.

"Dames Ahoy" brings to the screen a new leading lady of great promise. She is Helen Wright, a young actress of charm and ability, who already has made a name for herself on the stage.

The exceptionally talented cast also includes Gertrude Astor in a prominent role.

The hilarious action of "Dames Ahoy" moves from a battleship to a beach resort. William James Craft directed the picture, from a story by Sherman Lowe. Matt Taylor wrote the adaptation, and Albert Demond the dialogue.

Always a Leading Lady.

Merna Kennedy, leading lady in "Embarrassing Moments," Universal dialogue picture which will be seen at the Queen's Theatre on Sunday, has appeared in only three films, and on each occasion was a leading lady. Her other films are Charles Chaplin's "The Circus" and Universal's super-production, "Broadway."

Reginald Denny is starred in "Embarrassing Moments," the cast of which includes Otis Harlan, William Austin, and Mary Foy. William James Craft directed.

"Illusion" at The Central.

When the debutantes of Park Avenue society rub elbows with the denizens of Broadway's stage, sparks are sure to fly and hearts are sure to break in one or both of the rival camps. That is the working formula of Mr. Arthur Train's novel "Illusion" and it is also the recipe for Paramount's all-talking pictureization of the Train opus which co-features Charles (Buddy) Rogers and Nancy Carroll and which is now showing at the Central Theatre.

Buddy is a successful magician. Nancy is the partner in his act. Both are circus-reared. Both are trouper. But Buddy is society-conscious, and he begins to get himself liked by the idle rich who are unaware of his far from elite background. He pays court to a young heiress who likes him very much until she learns that he is only an old circus man's son. Then she jilts him.

In the meantime, Nancy, who was Buddy's first love, is disconsolate. She goes right on with her magic act, using a new partner, but her heart is not in the stage any more. At this point in the story an amazing and thrilling anti-climax is introduced. It would not be fair to reveal this bit of action here.

The story is fast-moving throughout. Each characterization is clearcut, vivid. The musical interludes which form logical intermissions for the fast and snappy dialogue, are exceptionally pleasing to the ear.

"The Four Feathers."

A war in which the casualties were almost as large as those of the world conflict forms a thrilling background for Paramount's "The Four Feathers," current venture of Merian C. Cooper and Ernest B. Schoedsack, soldier-of-adventure producers.

"Late statistics place the loss of life in the World War at 8,543,515," asserts Schoedsack, while the Dervish Rebellion against the British in the African Sudan in 1891 cost more than 6,000,000 lives. Native losses were many times those of the British. Unschooled in civilized warfare and inspired by their religious feelings, the blacks proved absolutely fearless. Prominent in these gory battles were the Fuzzy Wuzzys whom Kipling has immortalized in song and poetry as "first class fighting men."

And it was in the Fuzzy Wuzzy country that Cooper and Schoedsack re-enacted battle scenes of the Dervish Rebellion. Hundreds of Fuzzy Wuzzys who appeared in the film sequences of this story by A. E. W. Mason, are the sons of men who actually fell before the guns of rifle-men.

Upon their return from the Dark continent with 60,000 feet of exposed film of battle scenes and thrilling wild animal close-ups, Cooper and Schoedsack directed the plot sequences at the Paramount Hollywood studios, with Richard Arlen, Fay Wray, Clive Brook, William Powell, Theodor von Eltz, Noah Beery and George Fawcett acting the principal roles. The plot deals with the regeneration of a cowardly soldier who goes to Africa and

## BOUND WOMEN IN FLAT.

### STORY OF MASKED MEN'S £2,000 HAUL.

#### STRAPPED IN CHAIR.

A dramatic scene in a West End flat, in which masked men were said to have tied woman to chairs and £2,000 jewellery disappeared, was described at the Old Bailey.

Sydney Bernstein (36), charged with robbing Miss Ella King with violence at her flat in Park-street, W., and

Mrs. Rosina Horan (23), his step-daughter, charged with receiving £80 of the alleged stolen property.

Mr. J. F. Eastwood, prosecuting, said that Miss King had a house-keeper, Mrs. Hassell, whose sister, Mrs. Bulack, was staying with her when the attack was made.

Bernstein and another man called, saying they had "come about the electricity." They were admitted, and Mrs. Hassell was pushed into the dining room.

One of the men said: "We don't want to use violence, but if you do not keep quiet we shall be obliged to."

They strapped her in a chair, tied her mouth with a handkerchief, and tied her legs together. The men then put handkerchiefs over their faces and also tied Mrs. Bulack to the chair.

Miss King was asleep, and was awakened by one of the men putting his hand over her mouth. She screamed, and the intruders gagged her with a muffler and tied her hands.

One demanded to know where she kept her money, and Miss King indicated a wardrobe where she kept £80.

The men, added counsel, took jewellery valued at £2,065.

"Give Us 10 Minutes.

Before leaving Miss King they said, "Give us ten minutes to get away and then 'phone for the police."

Mr. Eastwood said that three days later Mrs. Horan opened a banking account at Newington and deposited £80, which included a £10 note traced as being one of the stolen notes.

Bernstein declared that on the morning of the raid he was in bed at his house at Newington Butts.

Mrs. Horan declared that she saved the £80. She received the £10 note from Bernstein in part-payment of money lent him. She had no idea that the note was stolen.

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## RADIO BROADCAST.

### THE LOCAL PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY.

The following radio programme will be broadcast to-day by Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres:  
6.00-7.00 p.m. Chinese programme.  
7.00 p.m. European programme of Columbia records selected and supplied by Messrs. The Anderson Music Co.

Acts I and II of the Opera "Manon" by Massenet under the direction of Mons. Eli Cohen of the Opera Comique, Paris.

Second Movement from "Symphonie Pathétique" (Tchaikowsky).

Scene de Ballet (de Berlioz).

Squire Oetel. 9825.

Carmen-The Torreador Song (Bizet).

Tannhauser-O Star of Eve (Wagner).

Harold Williams-Baritone. 9873.

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 (Liszt).

New Queen's Hall Orch. 9765.

Tales of Hoffman-Barcarolle (Offenbach).

Cavalleria Rusticana-Intermezzo (Mascagni).

Organ Solo by Terence Casey. DB130.

Melodious Memories.

Regal Cinema Orchestra. 9722.

Making A Talkie.

Descriptive Sketch by Clapham and Dwyer. DB134.

Hungarian Dance No. 5 and 6 (Brahms).

The Bombardiers. ME53.

Les Millons D'Arlequin-Serenade (Drigo).

Are Maria (Schubert).

Violin Solo Efrim Zimbalist. 9674.

Mophistopheles, March (Douglas).

Langland Bay March (May).

The Carlisle St. Stephen's Brass Band. MR18.

9.00 p.m. Weather report, Local Time and Press News.

## STUDIO CONCERT.

9.05 p.m.

1. The Hilo Harmony Boys.

a. "Rohala March."

2. Mrs. G. Leib-Mezzo Soprano.

Songs Selected.

3. Mr. Abrahams-Violin Soloist.

"Les Adieux" (Sarasati).

4. Mr. A. Brock-Baritone.

"Shipmates O Mine (Sanderson).

5. "Just a Cottage Small" (Hanby).

6. The Hilo Harmony Boys.

a. "What is this thing called Love?"

b. "A—C—H—"

6. Mr. and Mrs. G. Leib-Vocal Ducts.

"Czardas" (Monti).

8. Mr. A. Brock-Baritone.

"Jack Briton" (Squire).

b. "A chip of the Old Block" (Squire).

9. The Hilo Harmony Boys.

a. "Palolo."

b. "Aloha Oe."

At the Piano, Mr. C. Dudley Bartlett. Mr. Fleming.

10.30 p.m. Closed down.

## NEW SALARY BASIS FOR OFFICERS.

### AGREEMENT SIGNIFIED BY TWO COMPANIES.

It is revealed that the suggested change of basis of salaries for officers and engineers on the China Coast has, in certain quarters, been adopted. Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., and the China Navigation Co., Ltd., having intimated their willingness to agree to the change.

The rates are to be fixed at one-half at 1/6d to the dollar and one-half at current rates, the arrangement to continue for a period of six months, after which the position will be reconsidered, unless earlier examination is rendered necessary by an appreciation of the dollar to 1/9.

The offer, it is understood, has also been accepted by the China Coast Officers' Guild and the Marine Engineers' Guild of China.

## PUPILS OF PROF. MAURICIO.

### SUCCESSES IN RECENT PHYSICAL CONTESTS.

A tumbling and hand balancing diploma has been awarded to Charles Chanatong after securing a very good pass in a series of exercises prescribed by Prof. Mauricio. Besides being considered a marvel in weight-lifting for his age, he is equally as good a tumbler and hand balancer now, after completing six months' hard training at the Mauricio Physical Training School. In a recent demonstration he managed to do 65 lbs. in the "abdominal raise," and is training hard to break the record lift of 71 lbs. by Dr. K. C. Yee.

Another star pupil is Mr. J. H. Lawrence of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. who was awarded diplomas for physical culture and ju-jitsu. He is exceptionally active and strong for his weight.

A weight-lifting competition will take place in November, when pupils will also compete for certificates of merit, proficiency diplomas, and gold and silver medals. A silver cup to be competed for by Mauricio pupils has been presented by Mr. J. H. Lawrence.

The following have also been awarded diplomas for the different courses they took:

Martin Tay Yew-al (now in Amoy) for physical culture and ju-jitsu;

F. X. da Silva (now in Shanghai) for ju-jitsu; Lobato de Farla for physical culture; Liu Kee-yuen for gymnastics, muscle-control, physical culture and ju-jitsu.

## LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE.

### CLUB DE RECREIO TEAMS FOR TO-MORROW.

The following will represent the Club de Recreio in the lawn bowls league to-morrow:

1st team v. Kowloon Bowling Green Club (Away). A. S. Gomes, I. C. R. Souza, C. Silva, R. F. Luz (Skip); C. H. Basto, E. L. Barros, C. A. Lopes, A. C. B. Ribeiro (Skip); H. A. Alves, L. A. Gutierrez, P. A. Yvanovich, C. E. Marques (Skip).

2nd team v. Kowloon Bowling Green Club (Home). F. V. Ribeiro, H. Rozario, R. R. Roberts, F. X. M. Silva (Skip); Dr. R. A. C. Basto, J. M. M. Alves, J. G. Ozorio, A. H. Basto (Skip); M. F. Baptista, A. V. Barros, C. M. S. Alves, A. E. S. Alves (Skip).

## HONGKONG ELECTRIC TEAM.

Hongkong Electric R. C. will be represented by the following in their second division league match against Royal Hongkong Yacht Club to-morrow—V. G. Kerley, T. P. Saunders (Skip); W. Stoker, E. Thompson, D. S. Hill, F. Duckworth (Skip); A. Tarbuck, G. T. Padgett, A. H. Hatch, A. F. Paul (Skip). Reserves, F. Normington and S. J. Clarke.

## RECIPROCAL AERIAL AGREEMENT.

### DRAFT SUBMITTED TO BRITAIN BY UNITED STATES.

Washington, Aug. 21.

The United States Government has submitted to the British Government the draft of the proposed reciprocal aerial agreement covering trans-Atlantic flights, and other aerial undertakings between Great Britain, her Dominions and the United States.

A similar agreement already exists with Canada, under which the granting of pilots' licences by each nation is recognised by the other. —*Reuter's American Service.*

## MISS MARION TERRY.

### FAMOUS ENGLISH ACTRESS PASSES AWAY.

London, Aug. 21.

The death has occurred of Miss Marion Terry, the last of the four famous actress sisters including Ellen Terry.—*Reuter.*

[The late Miss Marion Terry was best known to the theatre-goers of the later Victorian period, and was nearly as famous as her sister Ellen. Up to about forty years ago Marion Terry was still a great draw at any theatre in England.

An old record gives the following particulars of her career and the productions in which she starred in the eighties and early nineties:

"She made her first appearance at Manchester in July, 1873, as Ophelia. At the Strand Theatre, Miss Terry appeared in various plays by H. J. Byron, in "Old Sailors," and "Weak Woman." At the Haymarket, in September, 1875, she played Dorothy in "Dan'l Druce," then produced. In "Pygmalion and Galatea," revived on January 20, 1877, she was Galatea. During her engagement at the Haymarket, Miss Terry appeared in "The Palace of Truth," "The Love Chase," "Engaged," and "The Crushed Tragedian."

In the spring of 1878, at the Olympic Theatre, she played the heroine in Mr. W. S. Gilbert's "Vagabond." In August, 1878, at the Court Theatre, she played Olivia in succession to her sister, Miss Ellen Terry. When "Duty" was produced at the Prince of Wales's Theatre, on September 27, 1879, she was the Mabel Holme. In a revival of "School" at the Haymarket, on May 1, 1880, she was the Bella, and in a revival of "Masks and Faces" on February 5, 1881, she was the Mabel Vane.

At the Court Theatre, in November, 1881, Miss Terry appeared in "Mimi," "Engaged," "The Parvenu," "Comrades," "The Rector," "The Millionaire," "Young Mrs. Winthrop," "The Opal Ring," "The Denham," and "The Magistrate."

Then her long association with the Court Theatre came to an end in 1886. At the Vaudeville on January 17, 1887, Miss Terry appeared in Mr. Jone's comedy, "Hard Hit." She was the Olga Marakoff in "The Red Lamp," produced at the Comedy on April 20, 1887, and subsequently transferred to the Haymarket, where she appeared in "The Ballad-Singer" and "Partners." In "Little Lord Fauntleroy," produced on April 13, 1889, she was the Mrs. Errol. In the autumn of 1890 she began a long association with Mr. George Alexander's company. Miss Terry was in "Sunlight and Shadow," "The Idler," "Mollie," "Lord Arnelley," "Forgiveness," "Lady Windermere's Fan," and "Liberty Hall" in the "Cotton King," produced at the Adelphi on March 10, she played Hetty Drayson.]

A sunbather, George Pearl, who went to sleep in New Forest, near Lyndhurst, woke up to find seven or eight adders near him. They attacked him when he moved, and he was severely bitten in the arm. Since the charcoal burners—avowed enemies of the adder—disappeared from the forest, there has been an increase of these vipers, the only poisonous snake which inhabits England. The last of the charcoal burners died about eight years ago.

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## BETTY NUTHALL'S SUCCESS.

EASY VICTORY IN QUARTER  
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FOREST HILL MATCH.

Forest Hill, Aug. 21.  
Miss Betty Nuthall scored a further success in the American championship to-day when she won in the quarter finals of the ladies' singles. She was opposed to Miss Dorothy Weisel and won easily in straight sets, the margin of her success being 6-1, 6-1.

Baroness Levi had a stern match with Miss Penelope Anderson and eventually ran out the victor. She lost the first set at 4-6, but took the next two at 6-4 and 9-7. Mrs. Harper had little difficulty in beating Miss Mary Greef after a shaky opening. She lost the first set at 3-6 but won the next two at 6-1 and 6-4. The other quarter final was between Miss Majorie Merrill and Miss Ethel Burkardt. The former lost the first set at 4-6, but won the next at 6-3 and the third at 6-2.—*Reuter's American Service.*

Newport, Aug. 21.  
In the Casino tournament quarter finals here Allison had a stern struggle with Shields and eventually won 6-8, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4. The match between Lott and Sydney Wood ran to five sets, the result being 6-4, 7-5, 4-5, 4-6, 6-4 in favour of Lott.

Hunter and Van Ryn also had a great struggle. Hunter won the first set at 8-6 but lost the next at 4-6.

He recovered again in the third set and won it at 6-3, but only took one game in the next for the score to be two sets all. Hunter, however, won the fifth at 6-4. Tilden was opposed to Gregory Mangin and won in straight sets, the scores being 6-2, 6-3, 7-5.—*Reuter's American Service.*

## AMERICAN BASEBALL RESULTS.

CHICAGO EASILY BEATEN  
BY NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 21.  
The following are the results of the baseball matches played in the National and American Leagues to-day:

National.		
Chicago	6	New York 13
St. Louis	16	Philadelphia 6
American.		
New York	5	Cleveland 6
Philadelphia	8	Detroit 7
Washington	5	St. Louis 2
Boston	4	Chicago 2

—*Reuter's American Service.*

## BRITAIN & IRAK.

A FINANCIAL AGREEMENT  
SIGNED.

London, Aug. 21.  
Notes were exchanged in London on Tuesday between Sir Francis Humphreys, High Commissioner for Iraq, and Miri Pasha, Premier of Iraq, embodying an agreement on financial questions.

The Notes will be published in due course in an annex to the Treaty of Alliance signed at Baghdad on June 30th in which it was provided that all outstanding financial questions, such as those relating to Iraq Railways and the Port of Basra, should form the subject of such separate agreement to be deemed an integral part of the Treaty and to be ratified at the same time.—*British Wireless.*

## FINANCIAL AID FOR CHINA.

PROPOSED BIG LOAN  
OF SILVER.

New York, Aug. 13.  
Mr. Pittman, Chairman of the Sub-Committee of Foreign Relations of the Senate, to-day publishes a scheme of financial aid for China. He proposes that the different Powers lend to the Chinese Government 500 million ounces of silver, to be expended under the management of an international commission for the purchase of foodstuffs and for the construction of a modern network of transportation services.—*Indo-pacific.*

## OCCASIONAL RAIN.

The Royal Observatory reports that depressions are shown over S.W. China and to the north of Chefoo. The local forecast is:—S.W. or variable winds, moderate; generally overcast; occasional rain.

## 20,000 TROOPS ISOLATED.

CUT OFF FROM MAIN  
BODY IN NORTH.

WILLING TO GO OVER TO  
NATIONALISTS.

FLOODS CAUSE LULL.

Shanghai, Aug. 21.

Some 20,000 Shansi insurgents at Tsingchow and Weishien, on the Tsinanfu-Kiaochow Railway, and near Feiching, along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, have been isolated and completely cut off from the main body, because of the sudden fall of Tsinanfu. It is understood that these large contingents of rebels are negotiating with the Nationalist Commanders at Tsinanfu intending to surrender to save themselves from annihilation. The Nanking leaders have agreed to enlist all the insurgents as reserves.

Lull Prevailing.

Incessant rain has continued in districts along the Lung-hai Railway since Monday morning, with the trenches of the Shansi insurgents, several feet deep with water, resulting in a complete stagnation of warfare since the Nationalist capture of Lanfeng, where the Kuomintang troops were forced to abandon their trenches on account of the floods.

Official Nanking reports say that along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway the Shansi insurgents have continued to retreat to Tehchow.

Apart from minor skirmishes with troop remnants, the Nationalist Commanders report that for three days a lull has prevailed in all the districts along this Railway. There is much troop movement in and around Tsinanfu, where thousands of Kuomintang forces under General Chiang Kwang-nai have arrived. The 13th Nationalist Division (General Hsia To-yin) and the 60th Nationalist Division (General Tsoi Ting-kai) have arrived at Lokow, pursuing the rebels.

Peltaiho Conference.

The Shansi Commander, who directed the defence of Tsinanfu and the insurgents along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, General Fu Tso-yi, has arrived at Tientsin and is visiting Peltaiho shortly to confer with General Chang Hsueh-liang, giving an explanation to the Manchurian leaders of the various causes contributing to the fall of Tsinanfu.

The Shansi Commanders hope by this explanation to convince the Manchurian Government of the necessity of a Mukden-Shansi alliance.

Rebels At Taian.

An unusual report from Japanese sources states that a large army of Shansi rebels is holding out at Taian which is south of Tsinanfu and should have been captured before the fall of Tsinanfu. It is believed that the Shansi troop remnants are taking up positions near Taian, to the great perturbation of the populace.

Officials at the Chinese Chamber of Commerce at Taian have appealed to the Shansi Commanders offering them \$100,000 if they will agree to surrender to the Nationalists to save a Nationalist bombardment of Taian. The First Nanking Division troops are planning an immediate assault on the rebels if their commanders fail to comply with the offer from the merchants.

Japanese reports state that the Shansi Government lost 30,000 troops, of whom 10,000 were killed and 20,000 taken prisoner, during their retreat from Shantung.

Kuominchun Reinforcements.

Peking, Aug. 21.  
Owing to the prevailing floods there is a lull in the fighting. Three Kuominchun divisions are reported to have reached the Yellow River front to stiffen the Shansi forces.—*Reuter.*

ALLOWED TO STAY  
IN AMERICA.

RUSSIAN LADY GETS AN  
EXTENSION.

New York, Aug. 21.  
Madame Anastasia Tachnikovsky, who claims to be a daughter of Czar Nicholas II, has obtained a six months' extension of her permit to stay in the United States. The Commissioner of Immigration announced his intention at the beginning of this week to deport her.—*Reuter's American Service.*

## TOOTED TOO LONG ON WHISTLE.

MASTER OF THE S.S. NAM  
PENG FINED.

EARLY MORN NOISE.

How defendant was using his steam whistle without any apparent cause at three o'clock in the morning was described by Sgt. Weymes at the Marine Court this morning when Mr. J. M. A. Pesanha, master of the s.s. Nam Peng, was summoned before Commr. J. B. Newell, D.S.O., R.N., for using his steam whistle for purposes other than that of navigation.

His Worship.—Do you plead guilty or not guilty?

Defendant.—I don't know whether I was guilty or not.

His Worship intimated that he would let defendant have the benefit of the doubt and decided to hear the evidence.

In the box, Sgt. Weymes said that on the morning of August 15 he saw the s.s. Nam Peng entering the harbour from the west. On getting into the Southern Fairway, she sounded one long blast, followed by another one five or six seconds later.

Continuing, witness said he prepared himself for another blast and he was not mistaken. By the time it came he had his watch out, and this blast lasted for 44 seconds. Another one was given by the vessel a few seconds later and this one had a duration of 39 seconds. There was yet another one but witness did not time it.

The Nam Peng then went alongside the Sai Kung Wharf and witness later went on board to look for the master of the vessel, who was the defendant in the case. Witness asked the defendant if he knew the regulations which prohibited the use of the whistle other than for navigational purposes, and the latter answered in the affirmative.

Defendant stated that he knew that the blasts he used were excessively long ones but his intention was to clear a passage for his steamer to go alongside her wharf, which was then crowded with junks.

His Worship.—Were there any junks near by?

Sgt. Weymes.—There was an unusually large number of junks lying around the wharf, your Worship.

In answer to his Worship, defendant said he obtained his master's certificate in Macao and knew that one long blast was a sign of distress.

In registering a conviction, his Worship pointed out to defendant that it was against the law to have blasts of 44 and 39 seconds in the harbour. These long blasts were signals of distress and people could not be allowed to make these signals at three o'clock in the morning without any reason.

A fine of \$25 was imposed.

## BRITISH HOSPITAL DAMAGED.

(Continued from Page 1.)

first batch of Yunnanese wounded came in, but these were not very serious cases.

Many Bombs Dropped.

On August 12th at 3.30 a.m. the Yunnanese launched another and bigger attack on the south wall and failed after losing severely. At 8 a.m., three Cantonese aeroplanes appeared and dropped bombs on the city for an hour. Fifteen were counted, and probably a larger number than that fell. Finally, a fast plane, flying very low, dropped three bombs together on the south wall, about 200 yards from the Emmanuel Hospital. The wall still remained intact, however.

The Yunnanese have a small field-gun in position about fifty to sixty yards up the road between the Emmanuel Hospital and the city wall. Their intention is to breach the wall with it.

Hospital Casualties.

On the 13th at 2.15 a.m. the Yunnanese launched another attack, which was the heaviest so far experienced. Machine gun fire on both sides was intense, and the 3-inch guns on the wall between them fired seventy to eighty shells into the streets and houses on either side of the Emmanuel Hospital. Casualties were heavy, nearly all being shrapnel wounds, several being among the wounded in hospital as well as the Chinese dressers.

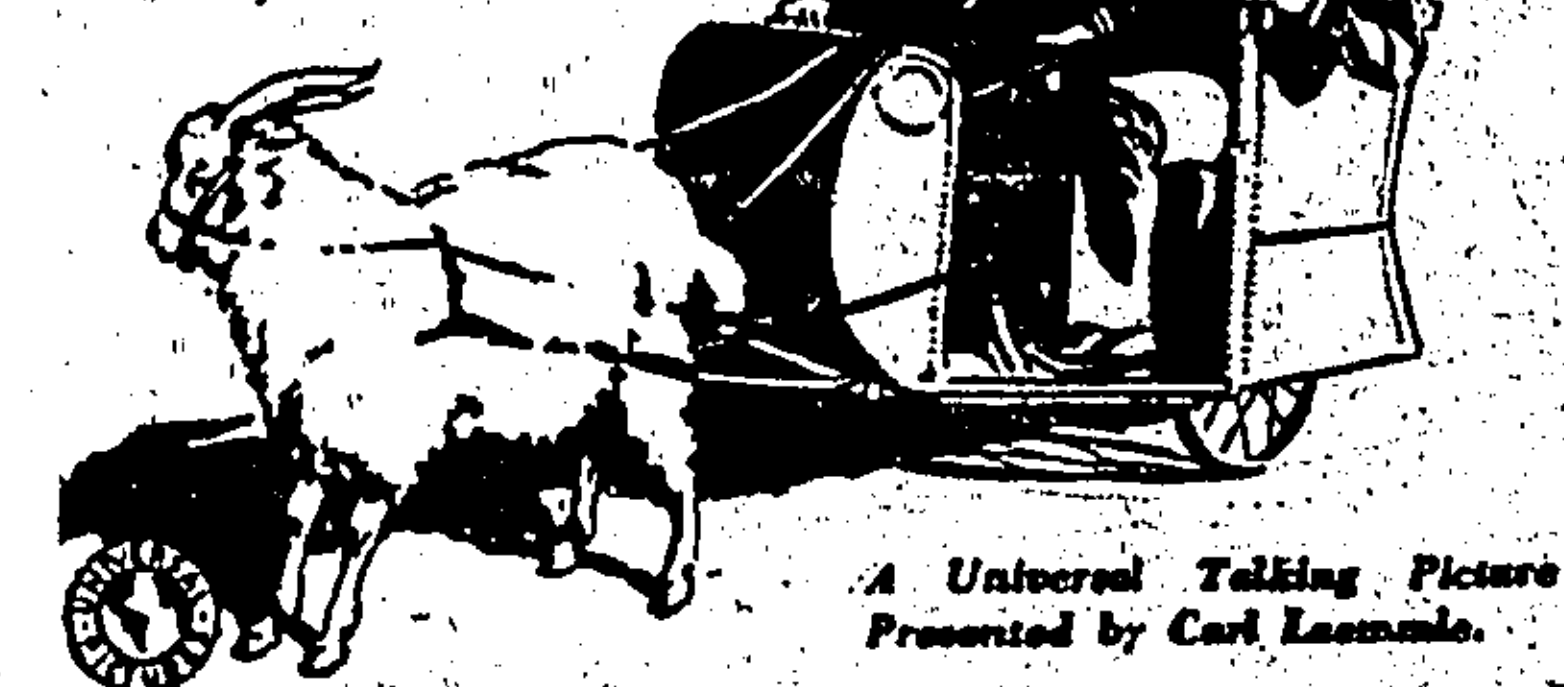
The attack lasted without a lull until 4.30 a.m., and the Yunnanese are reported to have lost 800 killed and wounded, but this is thought to be exaggerated, the number being probably more like 300. A single plane appeared at about 9 a.m. and dropped two bombs on the city. Low-lying clouds obscured the airman's view, and he retired after ten minutes. It is thought that the casualties from the bombing must have been heavy, but there have been no big fires in the city.

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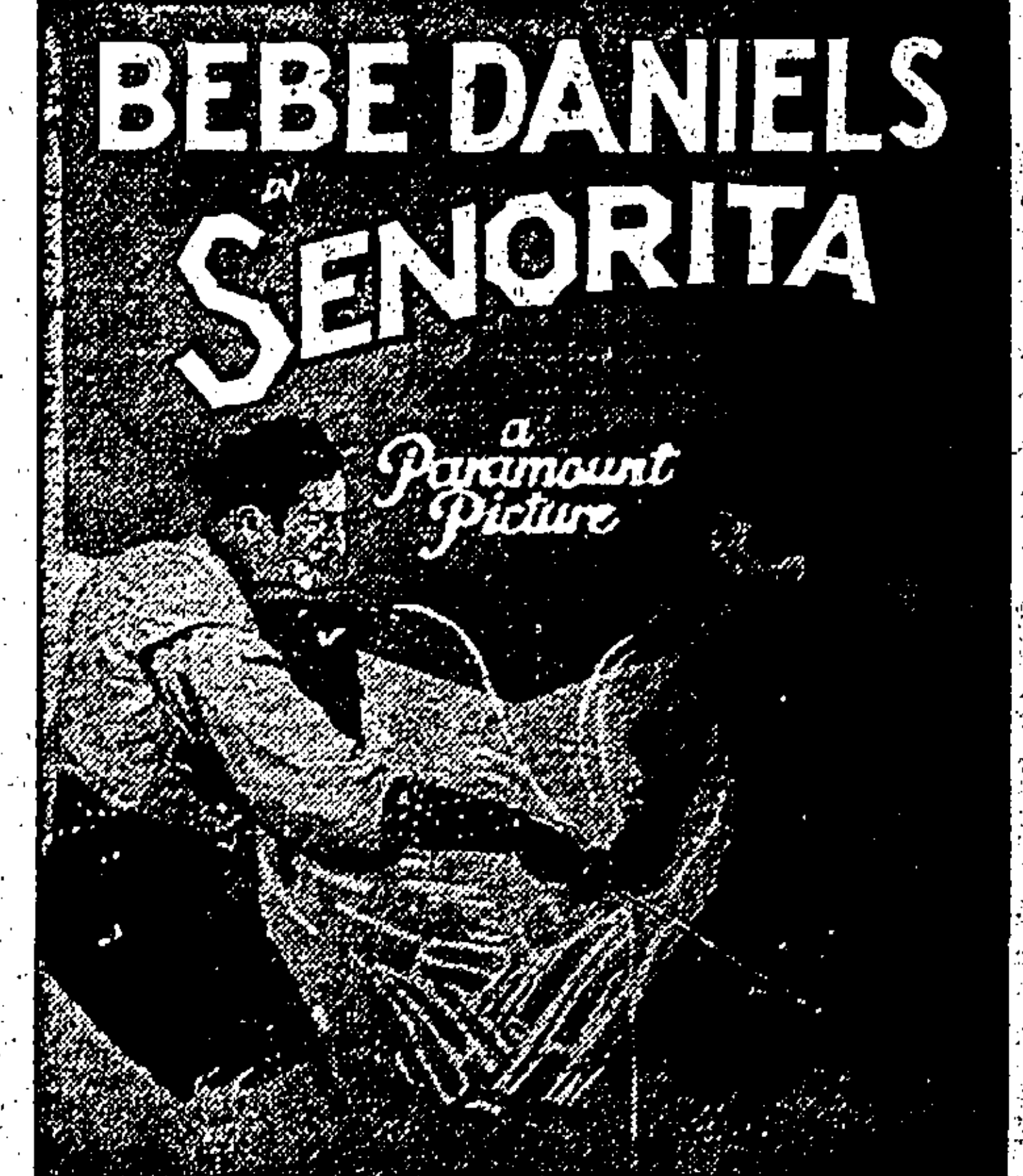
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